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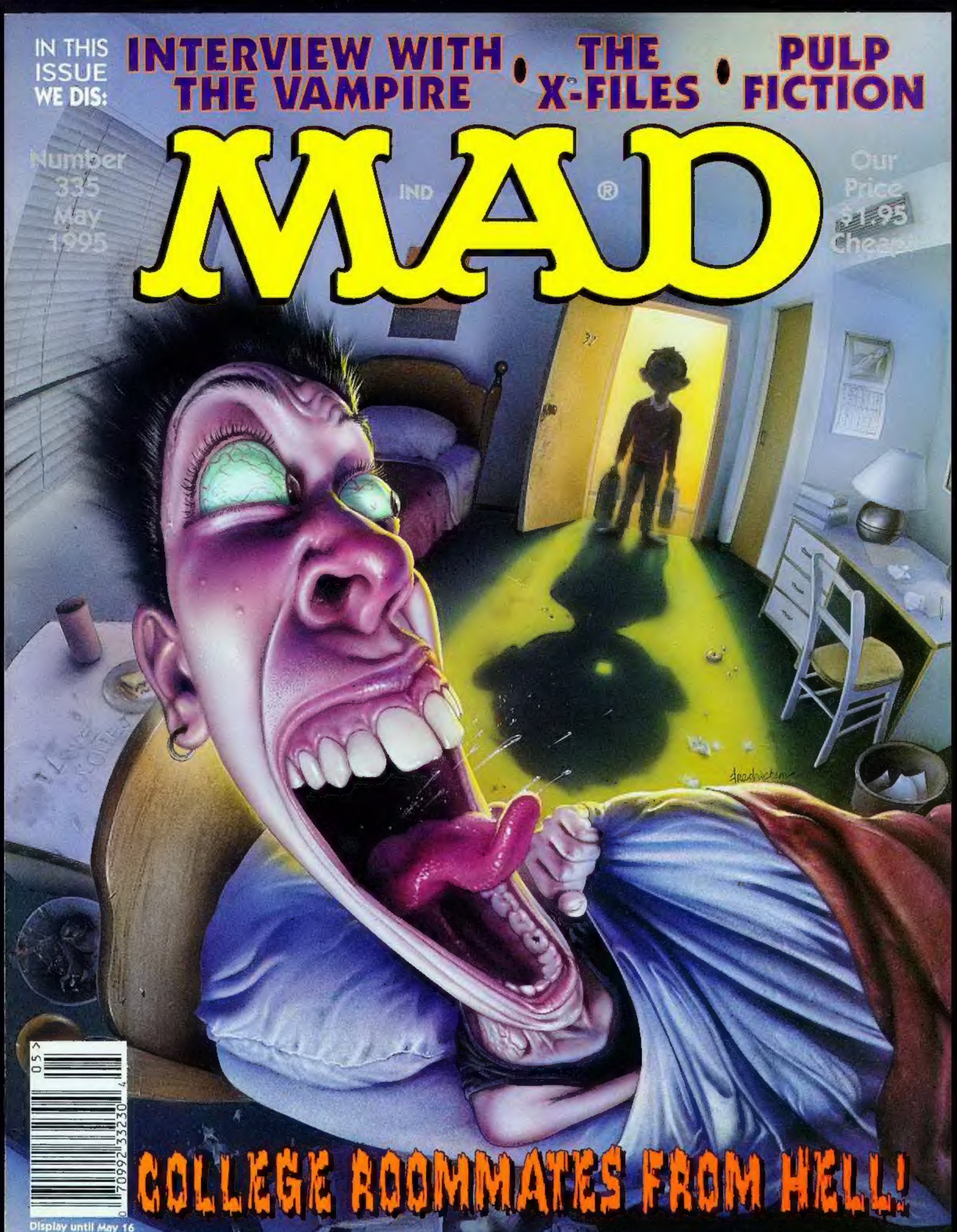

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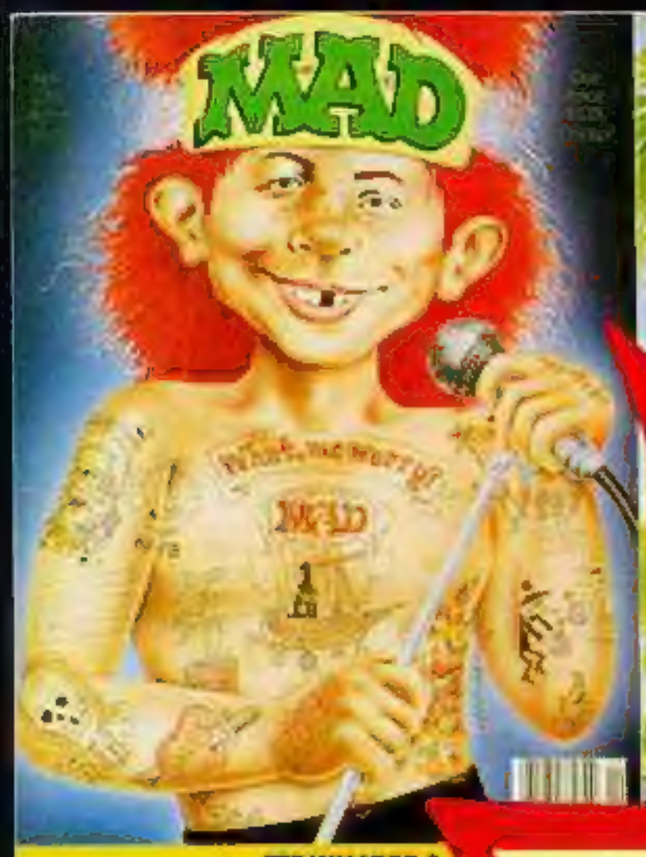


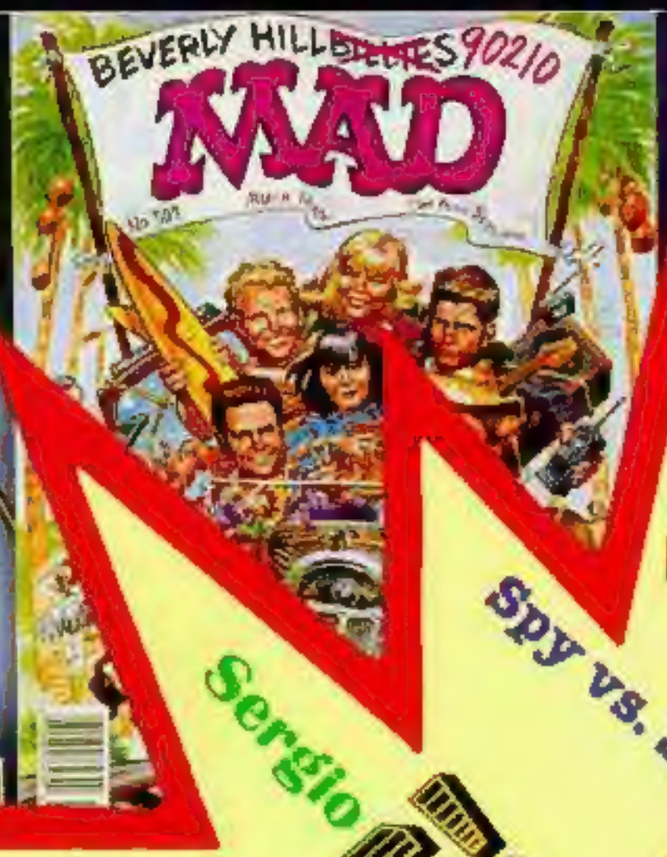


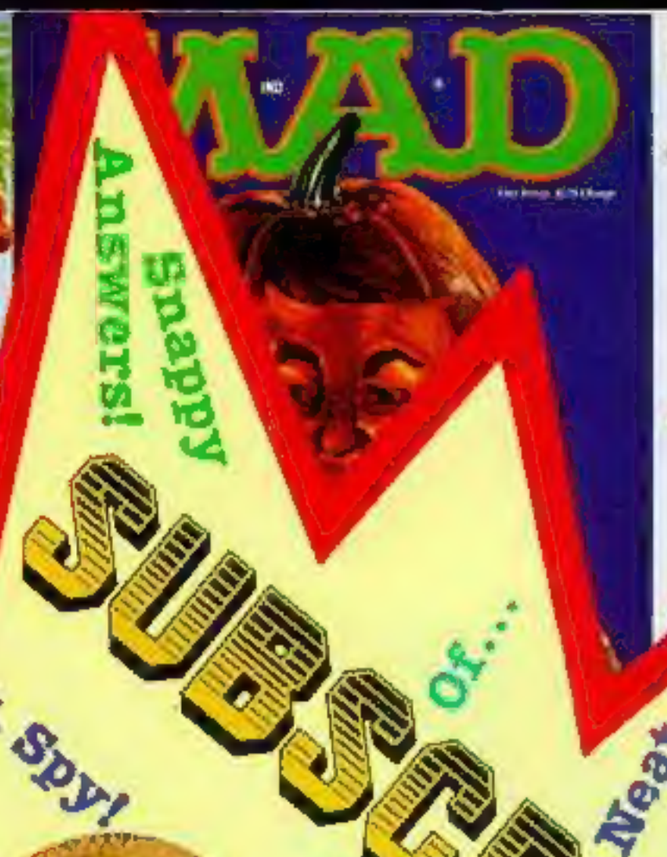


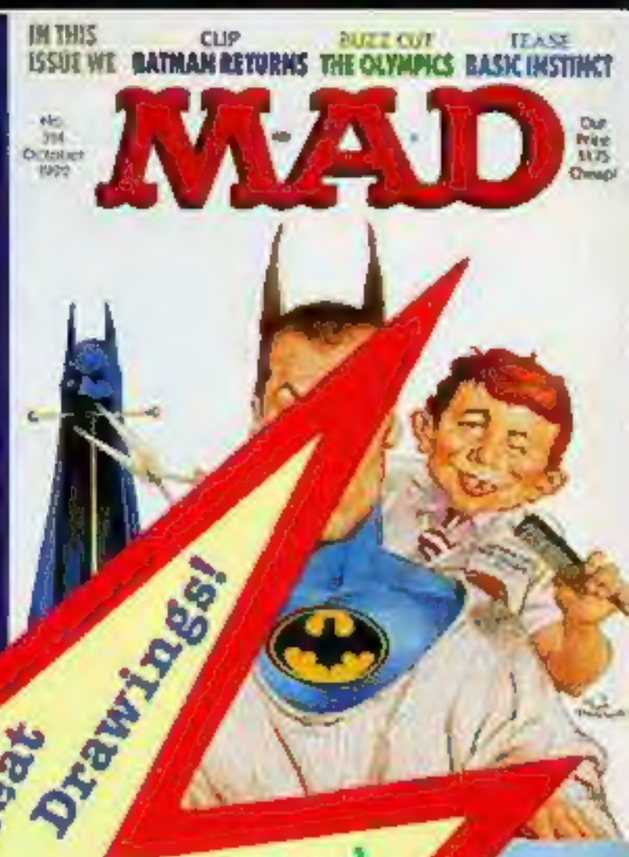

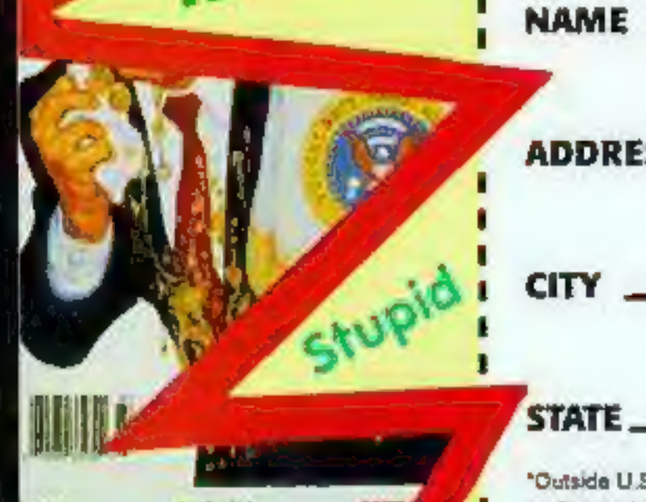

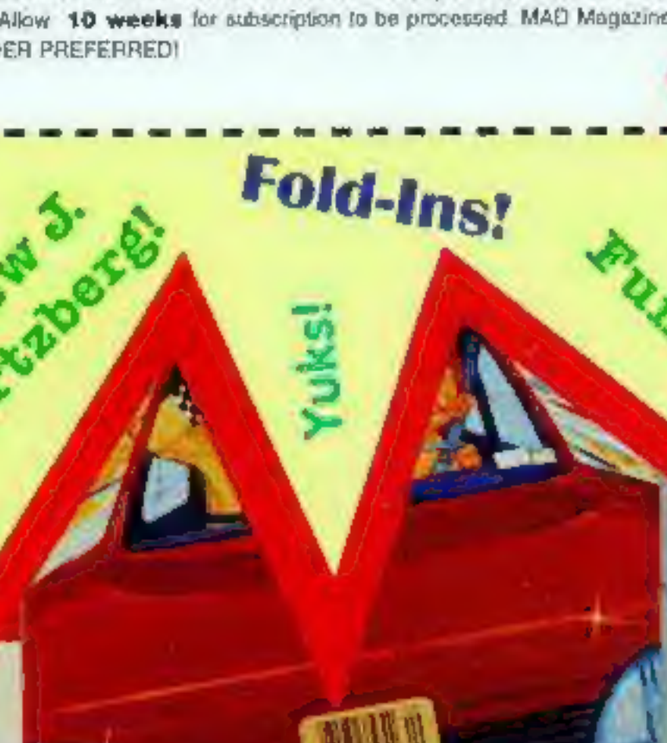

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*— Alfred E. Neuman*

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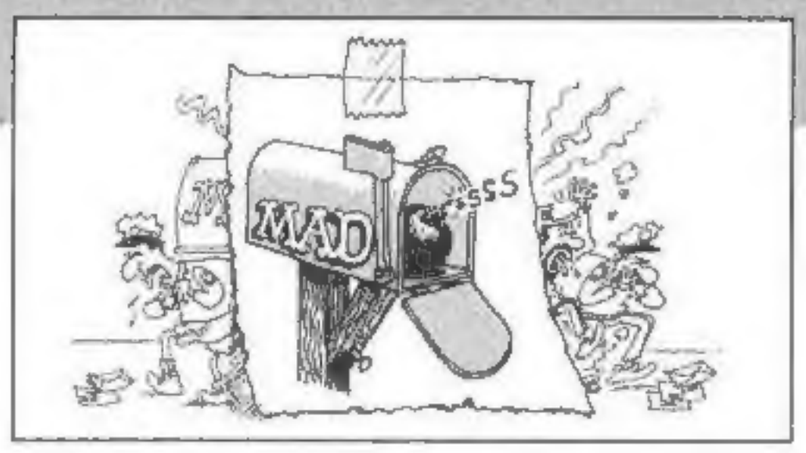



## POLITICALLY MAD

Why waste four pages on a buffoon like Louis Farrakhan? ("Louis Farrakhan Christmas Carols," #332.) He is a disgrace to Muslims everywhere and represents nobody but a handful of bigots. Thanks anyway to artist Drew Friedman and writer Frank Jacobs, whose "Songs of Food" (from many, many issues ago) I can still quote from memory (especially "Chopped Liver" and "Hello Deli.")

Mohamed Ragheb
Ontario, Canada

*Your letter got to us just in time — we were able to pull "Khalild Muhammad Easter Tunes" from this issue before it was printed! In the meantime, we've asked Frank to work on some new food songs, including Sheryl Crow's "All I Wanna Do Is Have Some Gum" and The Pretenders' "I'll Spam By You"! —Ed.*

In "Names of Music Groups as They Appear Elsewhere in Our Lives" (MAD #332), there is a photo of a man who looks remarkably like Pat Robertson above the name "Simple Minds." Since Pat has a Doctorate from Yale among other college degrees, he obviously was not the "Simple Mind" you were referring to. Tell me: who is this amazing Robertson lookalike?

Jeff Kruse
Van Nuys, CA

*We can understand your confusion. That was Pat's evil twin, "Skippy" Robertson — a slimy, woman-hating sort of guy who has a history of being involved in vitamin distribution scams, shady multimillion dollar broadcast deals and consistantly bilking money from the faithful in the name of God. No Yale-educated man of the cloth would do those things, right? —Ed.*

## CUT IT OUT!

Just had to write to tell you how thrilled I was to see your paper doll vignette in Sergio Aragones's "A MAD Look at Women in Uniform" (#332). As an avid paper doll collector I can only regret the drawings are not executed in such a way that they can be "played with." That aside, the set is delightful and appears in scale too!

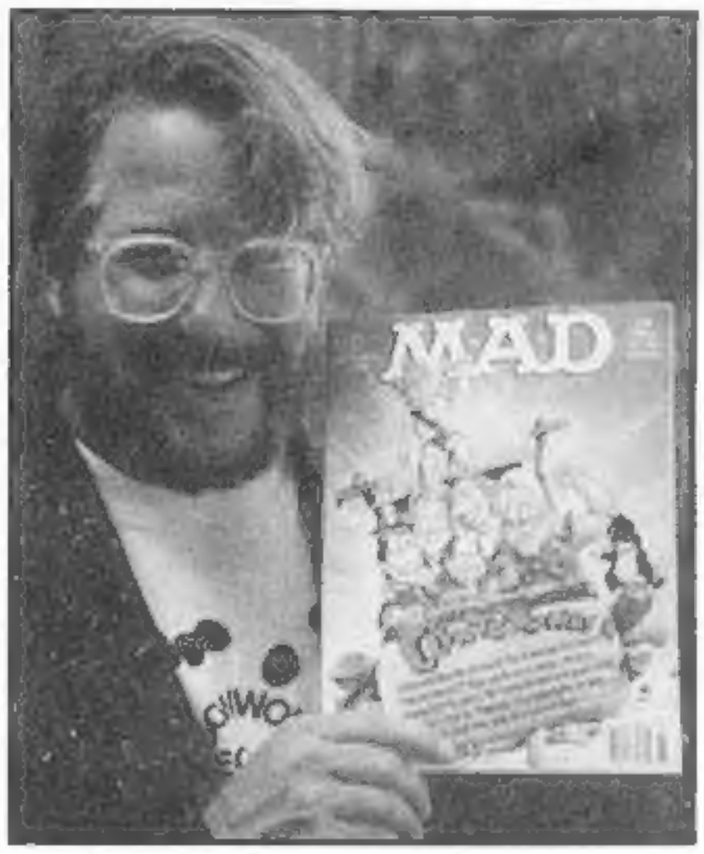
Lorna Currie Thomopoulos
Surrey, England

*Talk about co-inkydinks! MAD artist John Caldwell is also an avid, lifelong collector of paper dolls! In fact, there's a story going around the MAD office that John's date at his high school prom was a ream of paper and a pair of scissors! We don't know what this means, but at the very least it's incredibly odd! —Ed.*

## "THE FLICKSTONES"

I enjoyed your "Flickstones" parody so much, I'm canceling my subscription!

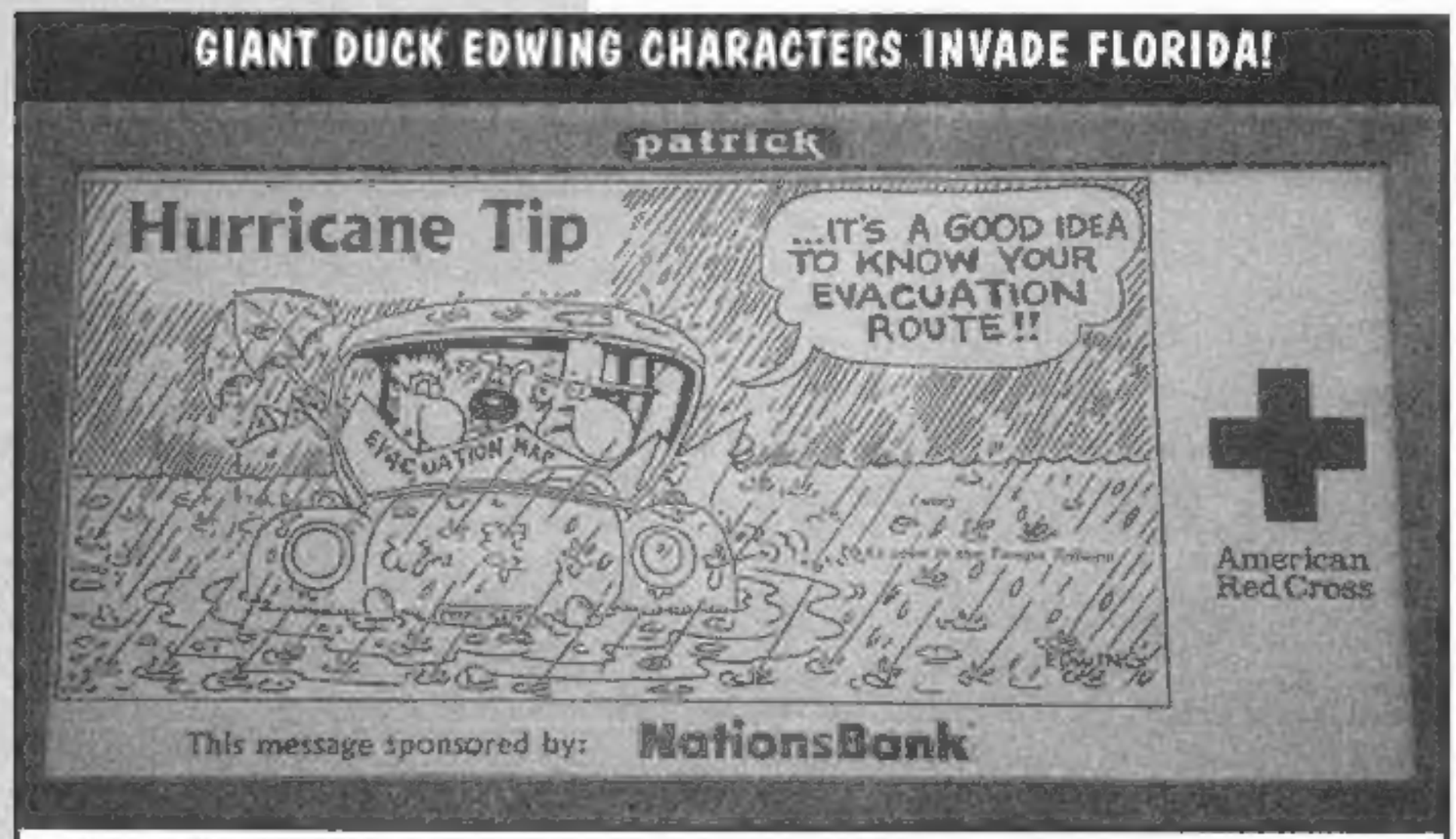
Brian Levant
Director, The Flintstones
Hollywood, CA




*Director? That's funny, we saw the movie and didn't think ANYBODY directed it! By the way, Brian, did you need 28 writers to help you compose your letter?*

*—Yabba Dabba Ed.*

## GIANT DUCK EDWING CHARACTERS INVADE FLORIDA!




Florida residents recently became witnesses to a horrific sight, and we don't mean Spring Break in Daytona! The American Red Cross chose MAD's own Duck Edwing to illustrate over 100 billboards throughout the state! The billboards offer hurricane warning tips and feature Horace, Beulah and Dixie Pup, characters in Duck's *Tampa Tribune* comic strip. Next for Duck? A long nap! *photo by Bruce Hosking*

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# TOMATOES DEPARTMENT

## ANGEL E. NEUMAN

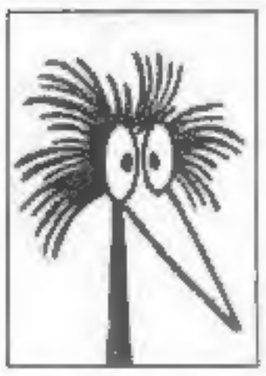
For my Christmas cards last year, I thought Alfred should get in on the "Raphael Angels" fad!

Kim Weaver
San Luis Obispo, CA

**And for this year, we thought our lawyers should get in on the "copyright infringement" fad! See you in court, Kimmy! —Ed.**

Kim Weaver's Angelic Alfred card

## BIRD NAMED!



**In MAD #332, we gave our readers one last chance to suggest a name for that strange bird that always pops up in our pages...Here are some of our recent favorites, and then, the winner!**

"**Buzby**" — John Albritton, Brandon, FL
"**Derfla**" (spell it backwards) — Dan Birchall, Ontario, Canada
"**Weird Bird Yankovic**" — Mike Basil, Centerline, MI
"**Cornelius**" — Patrick Hurt, St. Louis, MO
"**Perdue**" — Randy Grey, New London, CT
"**Melvin**" — Rachel Le Blanc, Easton, MA
"**Stupid Pet**" — Matt Gilbert, Spartanburg, SC
"**Cat Food**" — Cindy Solberg, Riverside, CA
"**Egbert**" — Art Lavoie, Concord, NH
"**Scrimshaw**" — I. Merisman, Nashville, TN
"**Lil' Ed**" — Sarah Vollmer, Vallejo, CA
"**Pencil Neck Geek**" — Melanie N. Lee, Jackson Heights, NY

**And the winner? Overwhelming support — a mandate, if you will — went to a name we printed in #332...Westerly, RI resident Krista Martin's suggestion "FLIP THE BIRD"! (Was there really ever any doubt?) To show your appreciation, whenever you see Krista, Flip The Bird!**

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**PLIGHT OF THE LIVING DEAD DEPT.**

**Tom Cruise is a vampire. A 12-year old unknown actress is a vampire. Brad Pitt and Antonio Banderas are vampires. What else can we say about it all, except — he sucks, she sucks, they suck and so does...**

# INTRAVENOUS WITH THE

Hi, good looking! Let's get acquainted and see if we're compatible!
I guess you want to know what my sign is!
No, what your blood type is!
TOP GUMS
Here, let me make you a cocktail!
Aren't I too young?
Weren't you surprised that Tom Cruise seemed so "swishy" in this picture?
Not after I learned it was directed by the same guy who did *The Crying Game*!
There's a clear case of child abuse!
You mean biting the youngster's neck?
I mean killing her career by allowing a 12-year old kid to appear in a movie this bad!
This film is a perfect example of sexism in modern film ratings! If it had shown male frontal nudity it would have been slapped with an "NC-17" and that rating would have hurt the box office!

# VAMPIRE

ARTIST: MORT DRUCKER WRITER: STAN HART

Not for the way I make a Bloody Mary!

MAX KORN'S STAKE HOUSE

ARE YOU ONE OF US?

I'm a reporter for a supermarket tabloid! I understand you're the ghost of Elvis!

I never said that!

Then you must be one of the people who were kidnapped by creatures from a U.F.O.!

Nope!

Well, you're not Siamese twins — so, unless you have another leg or arm you're hiding, I doubt anything you have to say would interest our readers!

I'm a vampire!

Just what does that mean?

Although I am of flesh and blood, I have no human feelings or emotions!

You're the second person like that I've interviewed this week! The other was Newt Gingrich!

ELEANOR?

Not if it was Tom Cruise they showed in frontal nudity! Then, they would have grossed more than Jurassic Park!

DRUCKER

Just how old are you, Loser?

I was born in the mid-1750s!

Aren't there a lot of problems with being that old?

Indeed there are! You can't imagine how many ugly ties and sweaters a person can accumulate by having over 200 birthdays!

My wife and daughter had died and I was despondent! I no longer had any desire to live and wanted to end my life! Then I met him — Le Fotostat!

I am Le Fotostat, a vampire! If I bite you and you drink my blood, you will also become a vampire! You will have eternal life!

Why would I want to live forever if I just said I wanted to die?

You'll get used to it!

To living?

No! To the inconsistencies that run through this entire movie!

I start by biting your neck...

Hmmm, I don't know...

Just think of it as a hickey with an attitude!

Sleeping in a coffin has its drawbacks! I can't imagine any woman would want to go to bed with me in here!

Your puppy dog "jammies" don't help a lot, either!

SPECIAL: CHICKEN IN A CASKET

Why are you biting the neck of that actress?

I call it "Dinner Theater"!

Since you refuse to drink human blood, you'll have to exist on the blood of animals! Here's a nice juicy rat for you!

Yecch! That's abso-lutely disgusting!

Well, there's an up side and a down side! The up side is that they're never out of season! The down side is that once you start, you can't eat just one!

PLOP! PLOP! PLOP!

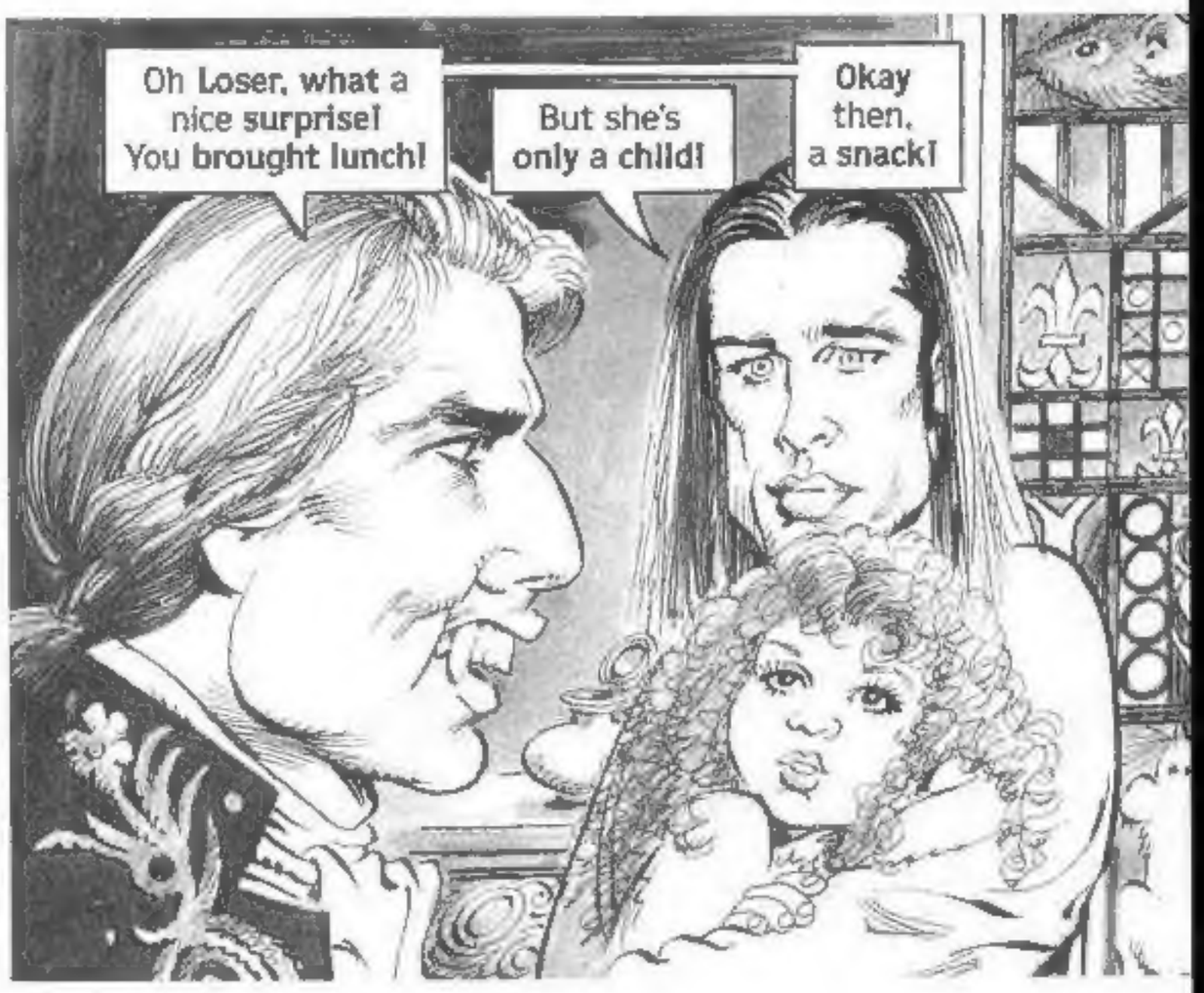
I knew you would find my story interesting!

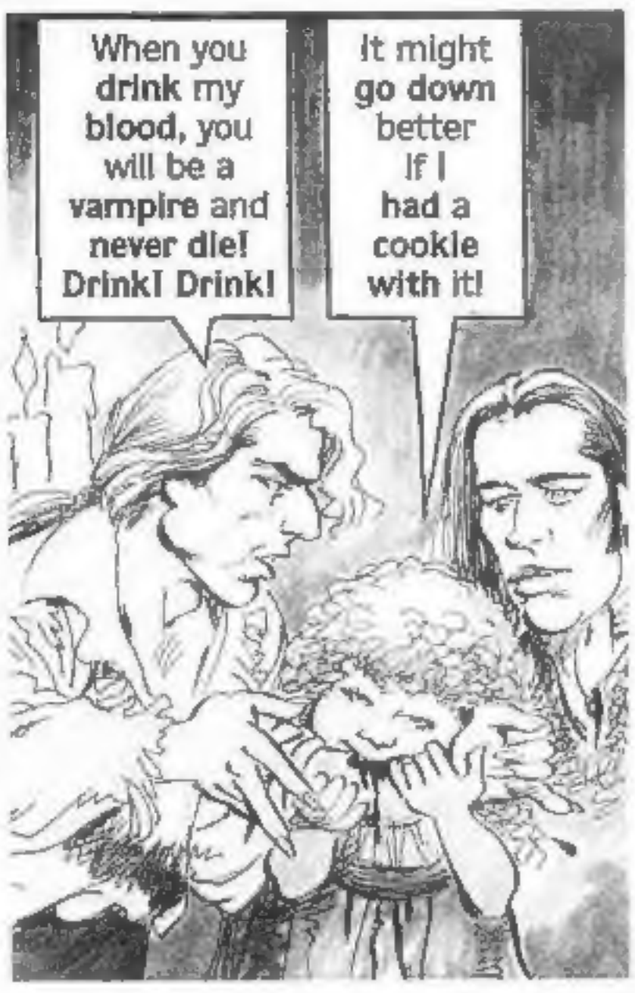
As the years went by, I had many questions! One: wouldn't we be damned for our actions? And two: what did Le Fotostat do for a living?

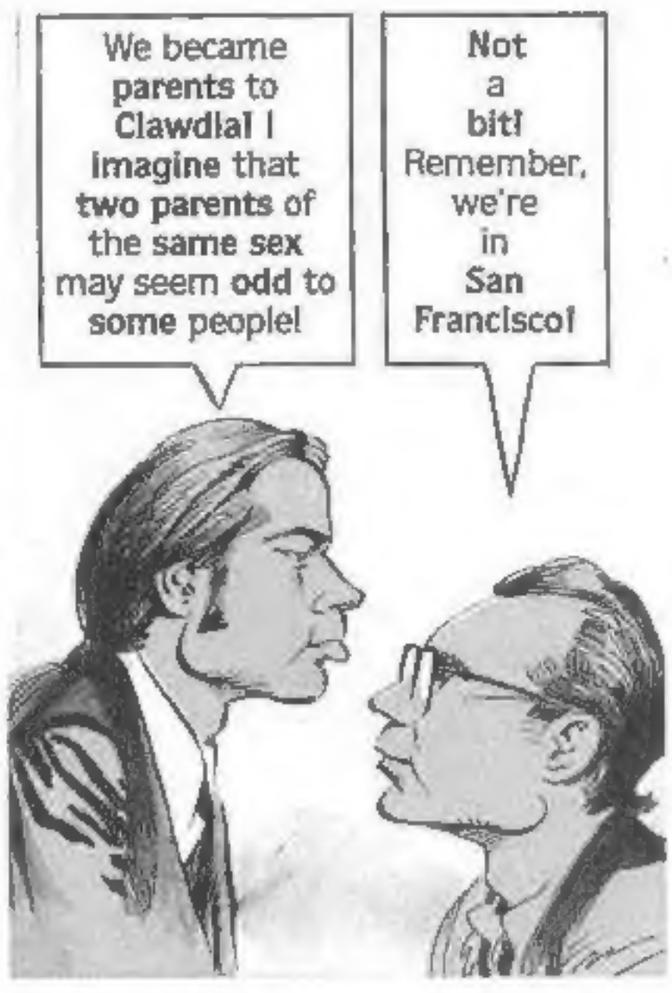
BARRFFOOO

MAD FACTOIDS: 4 out of 5 people who said during last year's World Cup that soccer would be "sweeping America" have since changed their phone numbers.

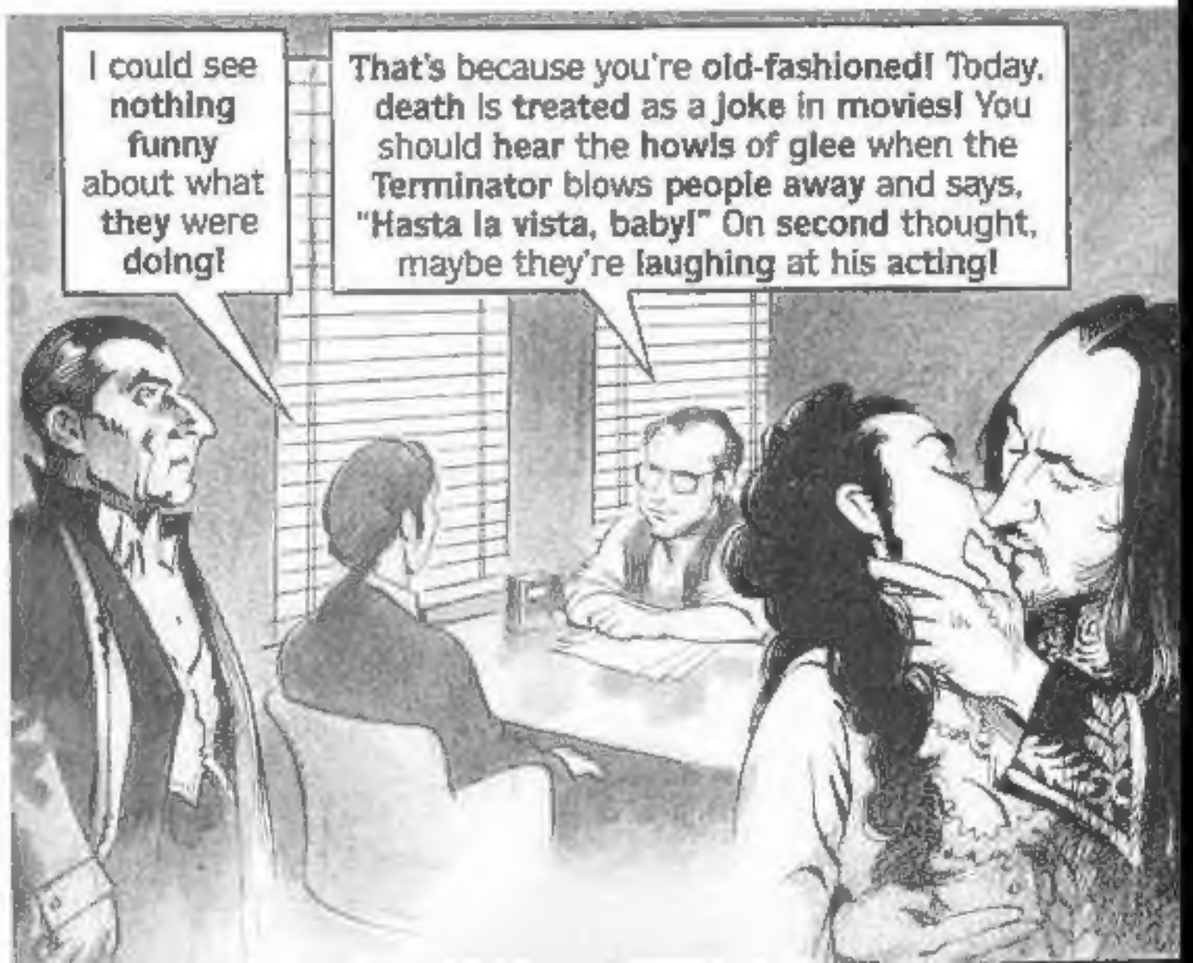
Everyone is dying from the plague! Can't you do anything to stop it?
Don't blame me! I'm eating as many rats as I can!
HAVE YOU SEEN MAUS?





We became parents to Clawdia! I imagine that two parents of the same sex may seem odd to some people!
Not a bit! Remember, we're in San Francisco!

Good-night, my dear, sweet daughter!
I'm thirsty! Can I have a drink? Please, please, please!
Well, all right! What do you want?
I think a sailor this time!
A TOMB WITH A VIEW
A TICKET A CASKET
COFFIN SYRUP


I could see nothing funny about what they were doing!
That's because you're old-fashioned! Today, death is treated as a joke in movies! You should hear the howls of glee when the Terminator blows people away and says, "Hasta la vista, baby!" On second thought, maybe they're laughing at his acting!

I hate my life! I hate the way I look with these fangs!

Why don't you have a dentist remove them?

I need them to open the plastic overwrap on new compact disc! Anyway, Clawdia began to loathe Le Fotostat! When she learned that only a vampire can kill another vampire, she took matters into her own hands! She poisoned him, slit his throat and set him on fire! The very next night, our grieving behind us, we set sail for Europe in search of fun and our own kind!

Make her a vampire too, Loser! Then she can be my mother!

Breast feeding this kid's going to be murder!

The vampires we encountered in France killed Clawdia and I vowed revenge!

Does this story go on much longer? I'm missing a real estate infomercial that's more interesting!

Le Fotostat! You didn't die?

I lived in the swamp for a couple of centuries eating toads and lizards and salamanders! What you could call Okefenokee finger food!

Why did you come back now?

Because there's someone important I want to see!

Who's that?

Al Gore! With a name like that he sounds like my kind of guy!

I want to become a vampire, like you!

You mean you have no moral scruples about victimizing unsuspecting, defenseless people?

Yes! Will you teach me?

I could! But there's a much better place to learn how to be a really awesome blood sucker...

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ARTIST: PAUL COKER WRITER: RUSS COOPER

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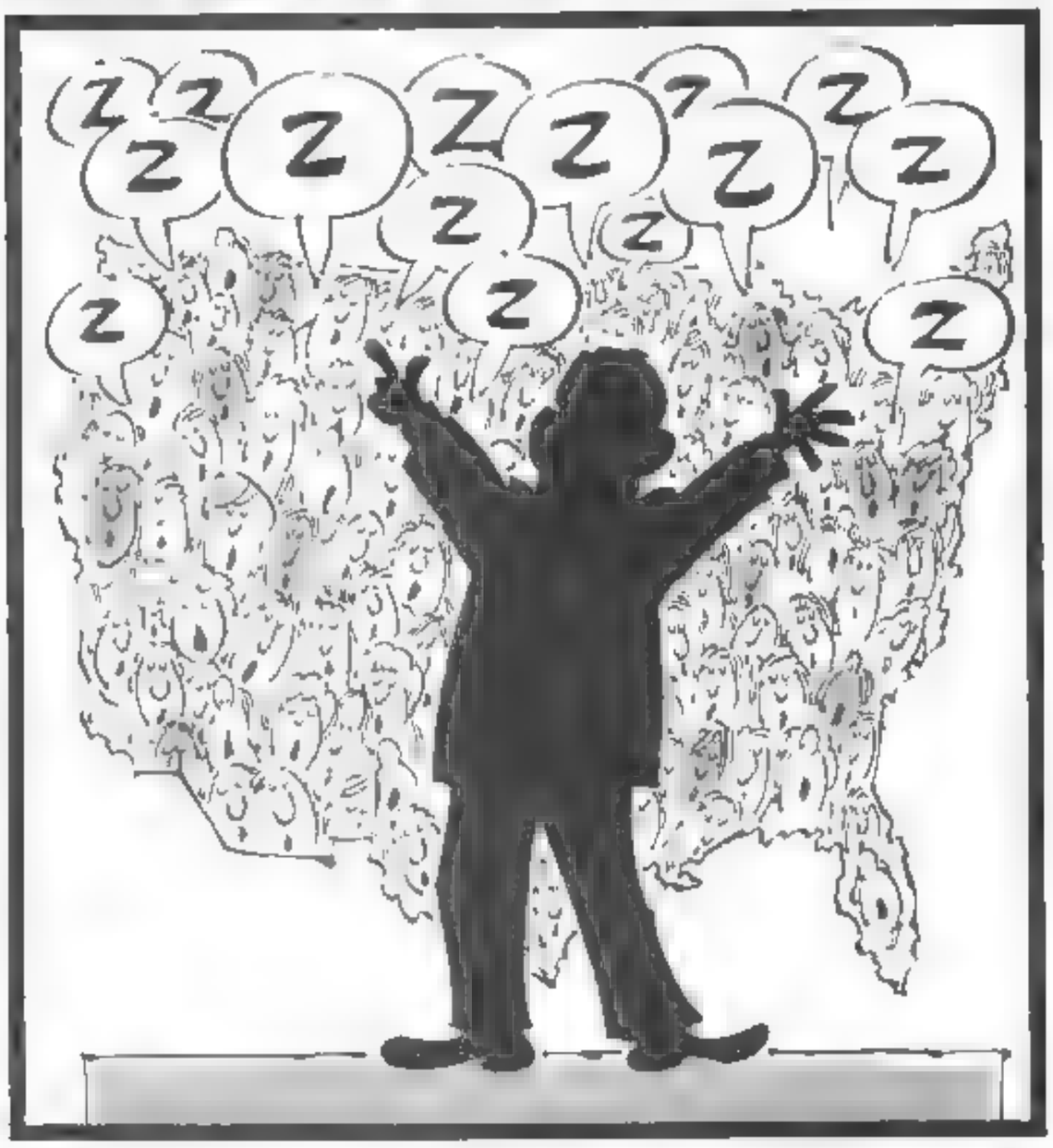



*...that our country's inspirational needs would be best served by the mesmerizing oratorial wizardry of Michael Dukakis, Walter Mondale or Paul Tsongas.*

## ONLY A REPUBLICAN COULD *POSSIBLY* BELIEVE...

*...gays in the military are more morally unacceptable than Tailhooking, sexually-harassing, misogynistic, give-'em-a promotion-instead-of-the-dishonorable-discharge-they-so-obviously-deserve heterosexuals in the military.*

ONLY A **REPUBLICAN** COULD *POSSIBLY* BELIEVE...

*...that any budget, plan or social program that the Democrats come up with could be any more far-fetched, wrong-minded and/or expensive than "Star Wars" was.*

ONLY A **DEMOCRAT** COULD *POSSIBLY* BELIEVE...

*...that "inept-but-well-meaning" is somehow preferable to "devious-but-good-at-it."*

ONLY A **REPUBLICAN** COULD *POSSIBLY* BELIEVE...

*...towering tax cuts as an incentive for huge multi-billion dollar corporations — yes! 25-cent increase in the minimum wage — hell no!*

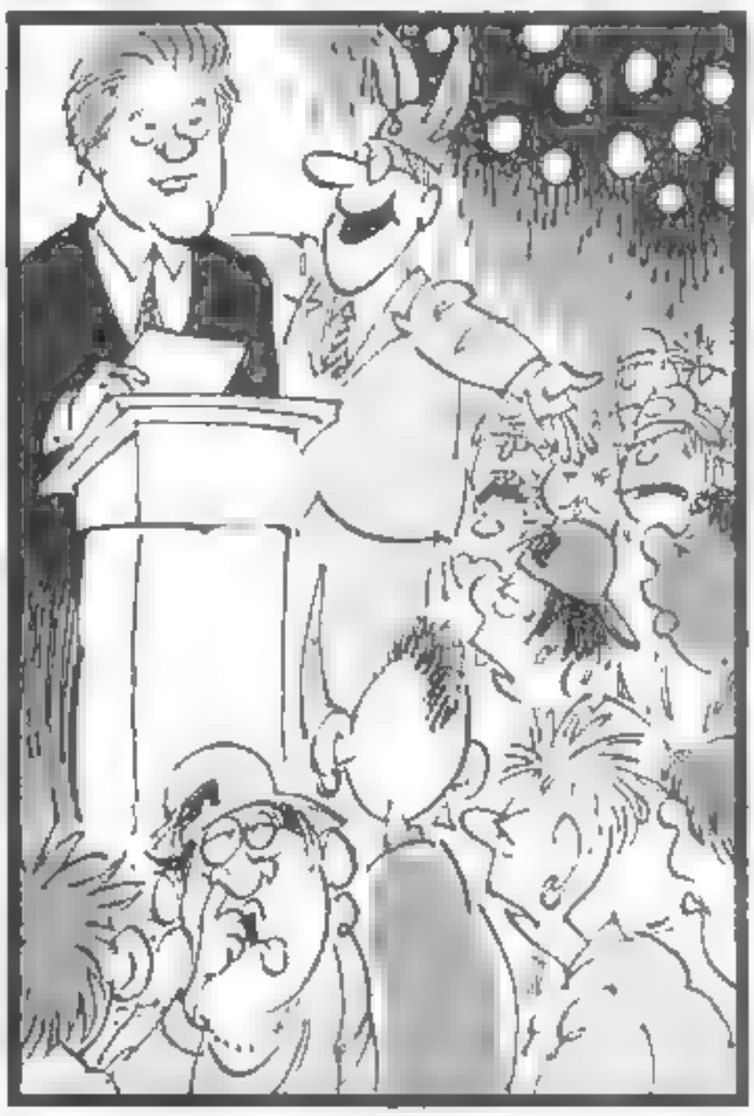
ONLY A **DEMOCRAT** COULD *POSSIBLY* BELIEVE...

*...winning a Larry King debate against ranting, billionaire mega-loon Ross Perot is somehow a big achievement.*

ONLY A **REPUBLICAN** COULD *POSSIBLY* BELIEVE...

*...that abstinence is the single and only acceptable response when it comes to sex, but not when it comes to guns, alcohol or tobacco.*

ONLY A **DEMOCRAT** COULD *POSSIBLY* BELIEVE...



*...the nation is just dying to see how a President can handle those really tough questions from those issue-obsessed MTV audiences.*

ONLY A **DEMOCRAT** COULD POSSIBLY BELIEVE...

*...unwanted fetuses — no! Spotted owls — hell, yes!*

ONLY A **REPUBLICAN** COULD POSSIBLY BELIEVE...

*...the best way to support family values is by pathologically vetoing every family leave/child care bill that wanders in their sight.*

ONLY A **DEMOCRAT** COULD POSSIBLY BELIEVE...

*.. allowing prayers in school might result in adverse peer pressure for those who don't participate...but allowing condoms in school won't.*

ONLY A **REPUBLICAN** COULD POSSIBLY BELIEVE...

*...that with all the pork-barrel infested backroom sweetheart deals, $600 hammers and fumbling, crumbling S&Ls, it's the $100-a-month welfare checks that are going to crush the country.*

ONLY A **DEMOCRAT** COULD POSSIBLY BELIEVE...

*...Bob Packwood: Evil, leering, sex-harassing fiend should be drummed out of office! Ted Kennedy: Uhhmm...*

ONLY A **REPUBLICAN** COULD POSSIBLY BELIEVE...

*...That "Hillary Clinton has no business formulating policy — we didn't elect her!" as if we had any say about Ed Meese, John Sununu, Don Regan or Nancy Reagan's astrologer.*

CLOSE SAMPLING TIPS:

For decades the Baseball Hall of Fame has been one of the nation's most popular tourist attractions. But since NO ONE cares about baseball anymore, no one gives a flying duck about the Baseball Hall of Fame! Which is why it won't be long before it closes its hallowed doors and reopens as...

# THE BASEBALL STRIKE HALL OF FAME

ARTIST: JAMES WARHOLA
WRITER: PAUL PETER PORGES

BASEBALL STRIKE
HALL OF FAME
LOCAL #000
ENTER

1994

STATUE OF FORGOTTEN

UNEMPLOYED PEANUT VENDOR

SPORTS ILLUSTRATED COVERS THAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN

BARGAINING TABLE (Rarely Used)

PENS FOR SIGNING CONTRACT SETTLEMENT (Never Used)

BIG BLUE CHEWING TOBACCO

BASEBALL NEWEST 500 HITTER

TONY GWYNN

HE
AN

TOPPS

UPPER DECK

FLEER

BASEBALL CARD COMPANIES
1994 SALES CHART

1994 PENNANT FLAGS
(Undelivered)

THE
BIG
LOOSER

HOME

Ravitch

PLAYER AND OWNER
REPRESENTATIVE'S
HOME AND AWAY SUITS

Proud Of
Weiners

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1994
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CLEVELAND
INDIANS

PIRATES

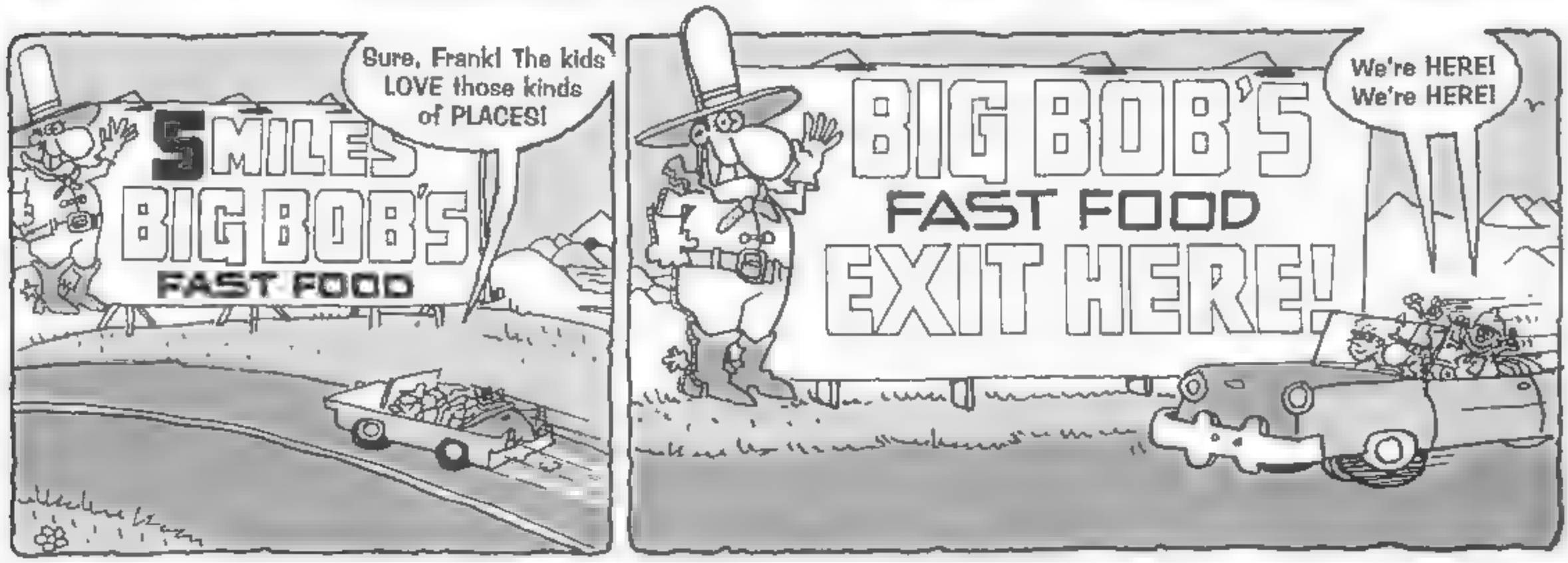
Just in Place

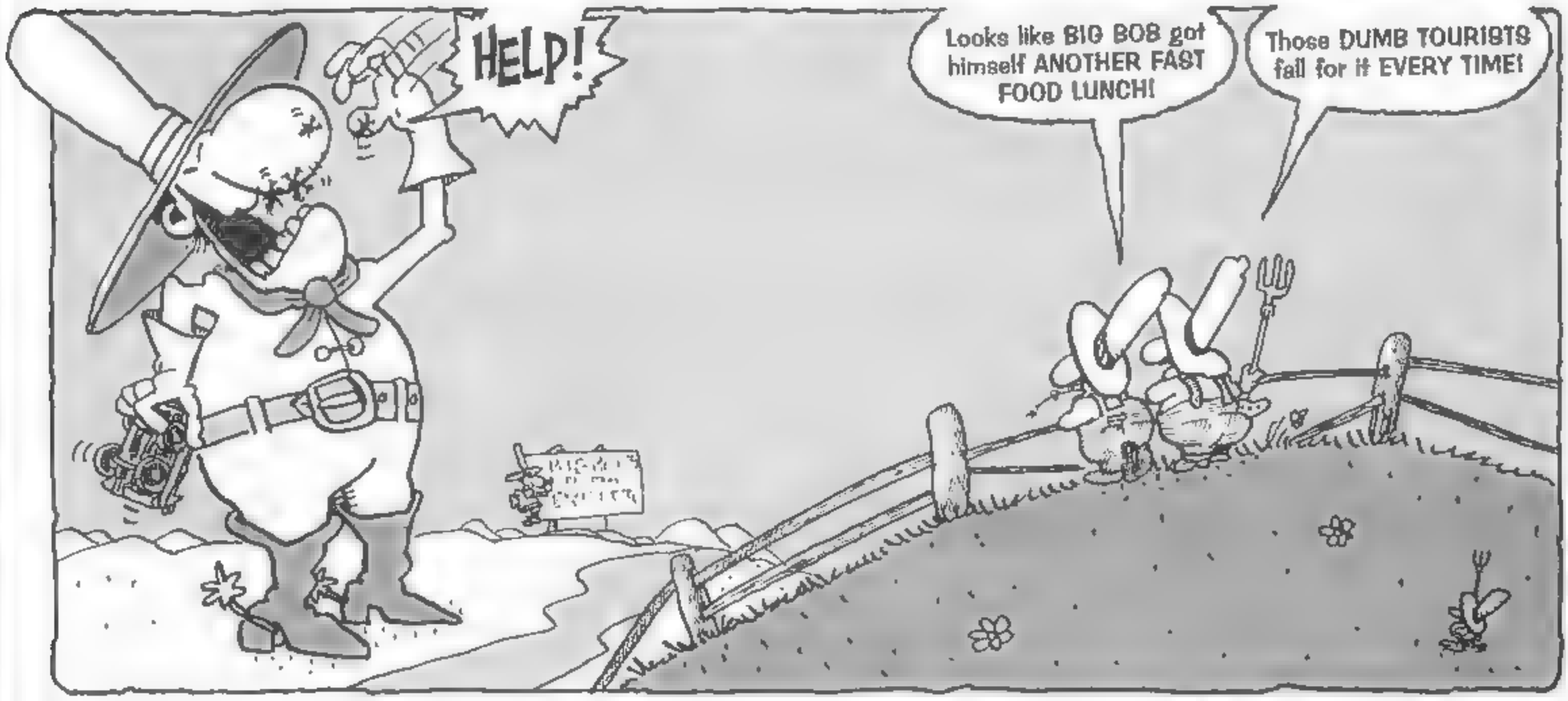
LIFESIZE PHOTO OF
SAN DIEGO CHICKEN ON
UNEMPLOYMENT LINE

MODEL OF YANKEE STADIUM
CONSTRUCTED ENTIRELY OF
TICKETS FOR CANCELLED GAMES

MAD FACTOIDS: The least accessed bulletin board on the Internet is the "People With a Life Outside of Computers Forum."

# THE REVOLTING ROADSIDE ROUNDUP






ARTIST AND WRITER: DUCK EDWING

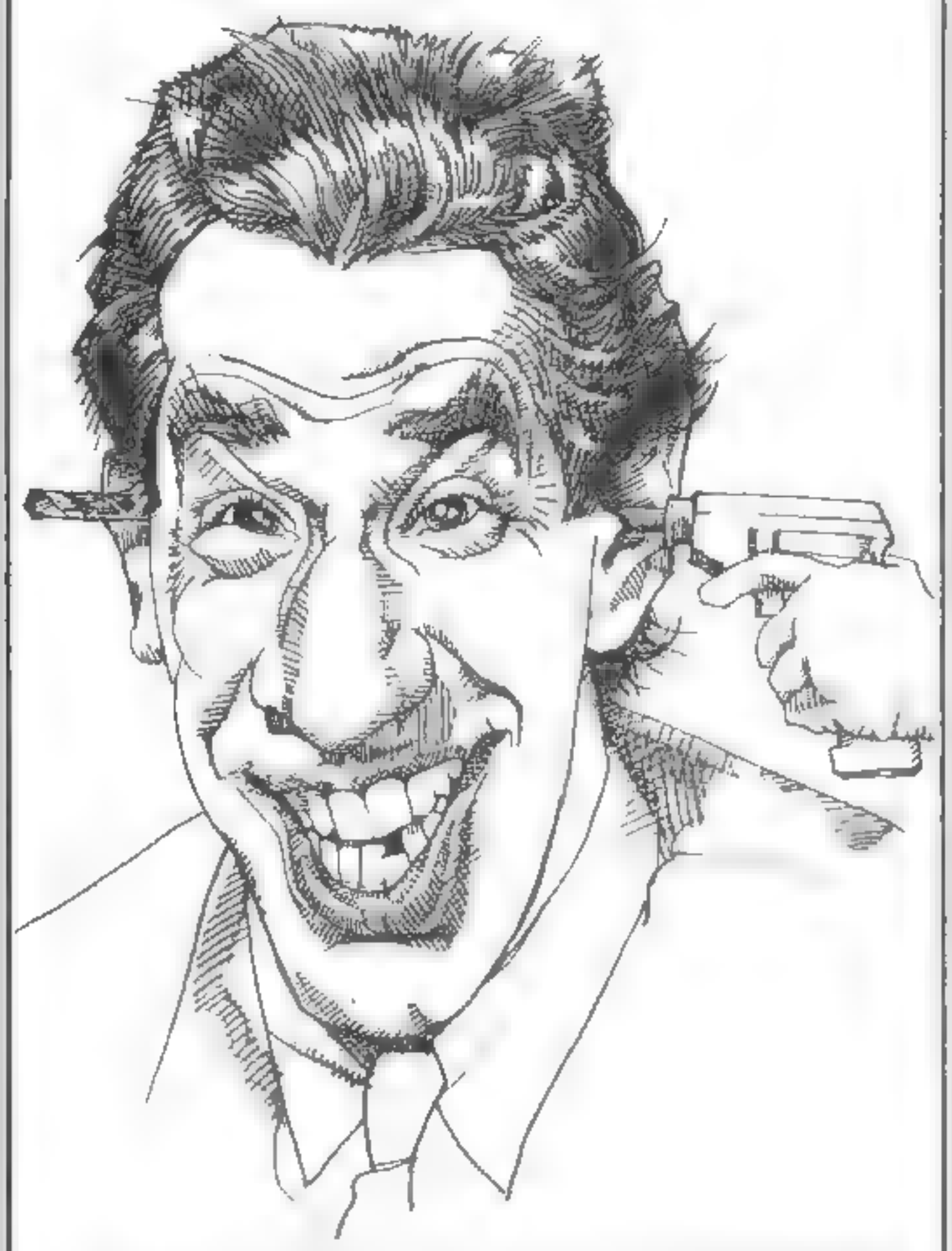
MAD FACTOIDS: If celebrities had expiration dates like milk, Fabio would currently have the consistency of cottage cheese.

**Residents of Florida never fully believe that the next hurricane could hit them head-on. And Californians never quite accept that the next earthquake could be "The Big One." With that same devil-may-care spirit, MAD readers never pause to think that our very next issue could bombard them with another edition of The MAD Nasty File. Well, tough toenails, Bunky! By now, you should know that we can't resist taking our annual potshots at a new crop of outstandingly ludicrous things and outlandishly laughable people! So you have no one to blame but yourself that you are now wallowing knee deep in yet another installment of...**

# the MAD NASTY FILE Volume VIII

ARTIST: GERRY GERSTEN WRITER: TOM KOCH

## Tim Allen

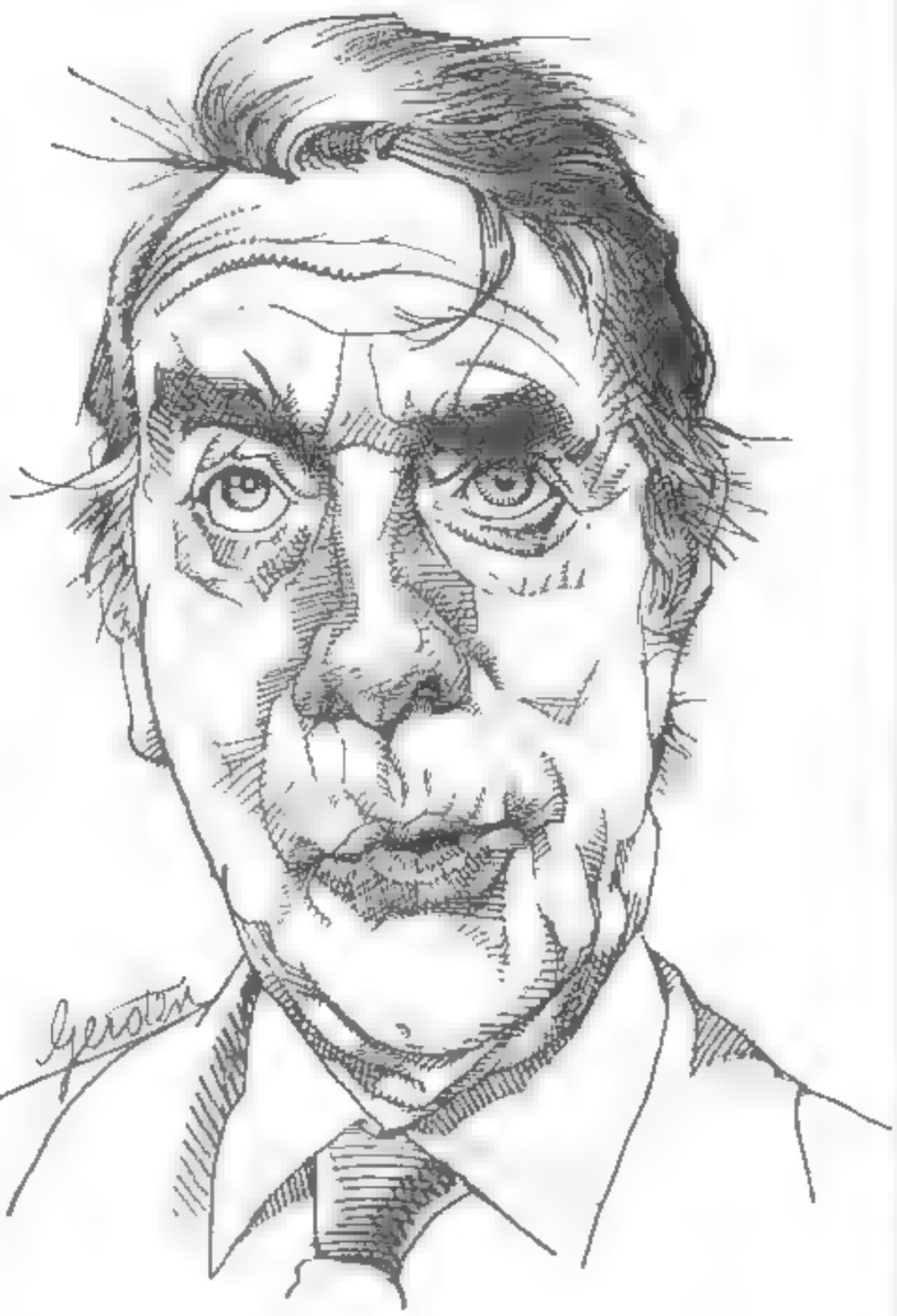


**...Is so versatile, he can bray like a donkey at the same time he acts like a horse's ass.**

**...Makes 100 times as much money as the host of The New Yankee Workshop on PBS, who really can make things with tools.**

**...Portrays, by absolute sheer coincidence, a marginally talented guy who stars in his own TV show.**

## Bob Dole



**...Wins or loses totally on the issues, because there's absolutely no charisma to get in the way.**

**...Wouldn't be the oldest man to be elected President — just the grouchiest.**

**...Claims to be a member of the "loyal opposition," a phrase originally coined by Benedict Arnold.**

## WHITE FORD BRONCOS

...Can now claim the nice high roof gives you enough interior space to hold a gun to your head in complete comfort.

...May not be the most practical color because white shows every little bloodstain.

...Are the vehicles least likely to be chosen for a future Hertz commercial.

## BARBRA STREISAND

...Is such a "control freak," she would like to personally select the people allowed to buy tickets to her concerts.

...Thinks we should listen to her political opinions because people from Hollywood understand the real world.

...Appears in concert once every 10 years, so feels it's only fair to charge fans 10 times the price of an average concert ticket.

## JANET RENO

...Proves that women in office can be as lost and ineffective as men in office.

...Is the only woman from Florida who ever gained Bill Clinton's attention without looking good in a bathing suit.

...Thinks there's much too much violence on TV, especially when they broadcast the storming of the Branch Davidian Compound in Waco.

## CONAN O'BRIEN

...Has the ability to make you feel like he's talking to a small intimate group — which is easy when you have only nine viewers.

...Makes Chevy Chase and Dennis Miller wonder what they possibly could have done that was judged to be even worse.

...Calls it a "star studded show" when his main guest is Dr. Joyce Brothers.

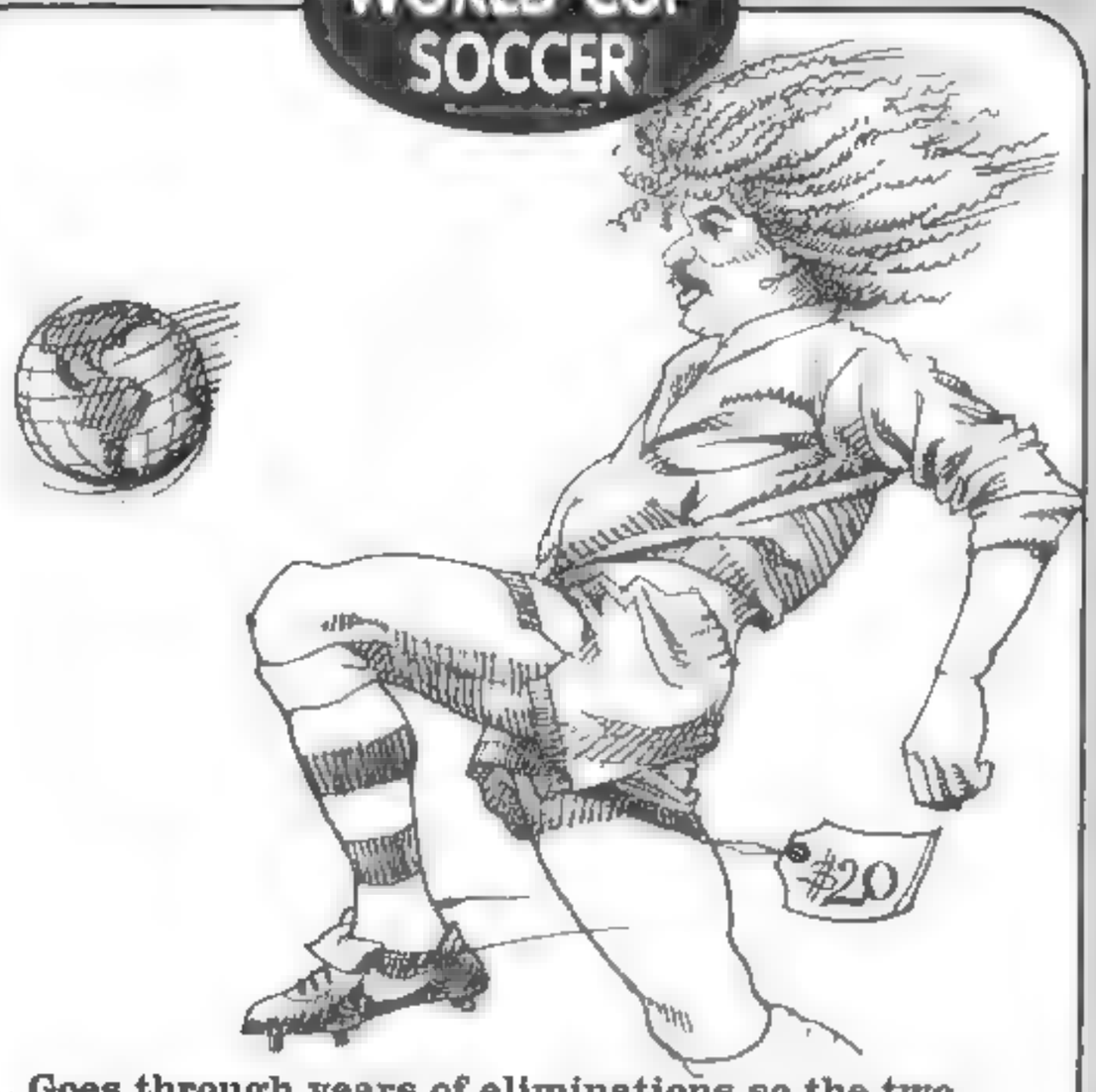
## Ricki Lake

...Changes hairstyles frequently so viewers will think she has been replaced by someone more capable.

...Was the best choice to host a talk show, except for the 97 people already hosting other talk shows and the millions who didn't apply for the job.

...Chooses topics of interest to young women 18 to 25 who have IQs of 18 to 25.

## World Cup Soccer

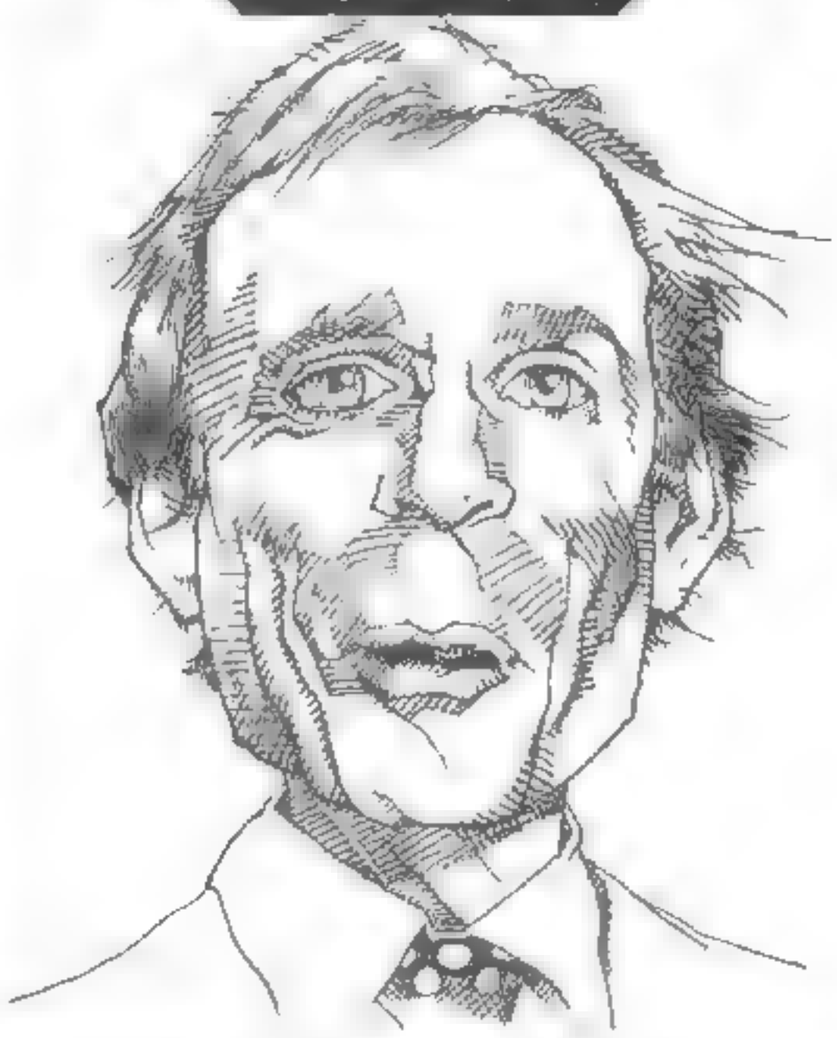



...Goes through years of eliminations so the two best teams on Earth can be brought together for a scoreless tie.

...Is popular with Third World countries because a complete soccer team can be fully outfitted and equipped for about $20.

...Enables TV networks to show American sports fans that professional bowling and the Goodwill Games aren't really so dull after all.

## CNBC



...Is only dull viewing for those who have failed to memorize the symbols for all 2,000 companies listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

...Is the place where NBC's rookie news correspondents can practice with the assurance that practically no one is watching.

...Is fascinating because it lets you rediscover Dick Cavett, who you assumed was dead.

## George Stephanopoulos

...Seldom shaves in the hope that his five o'clock shadow will help him look older than 14.

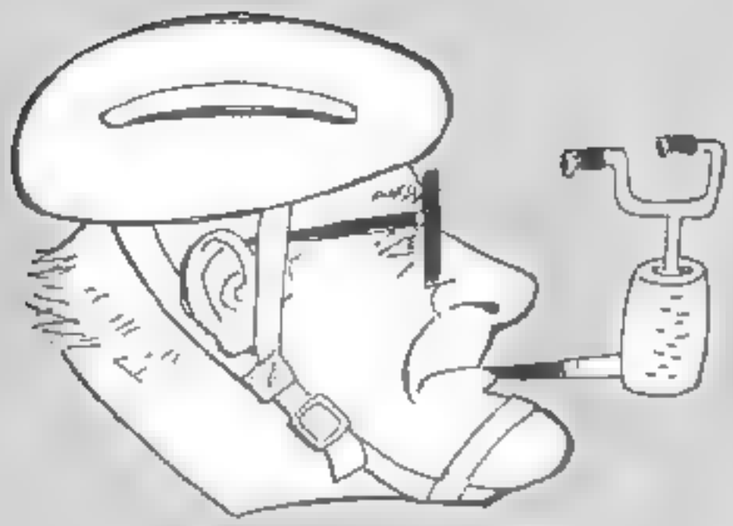
...Is often irritable because all of his days are bad hair days.

...Is the only member of the President's staff who gets "proofed" at White House State Dinners.

BERG'S-EYE VIEW DEPT.

# THE LIGHTER SIDE OF...

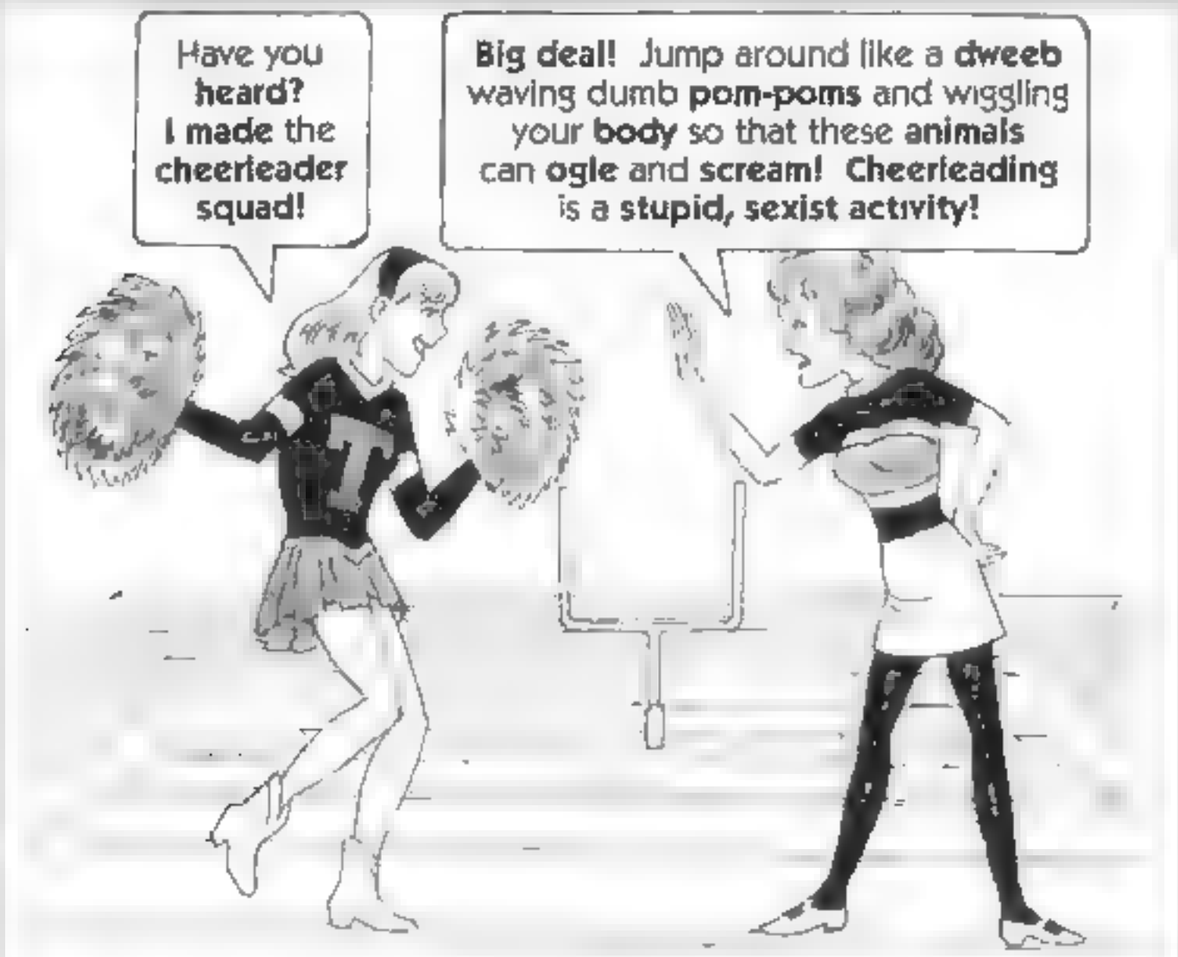
ARTIST AND WRITER: DAVE BERG



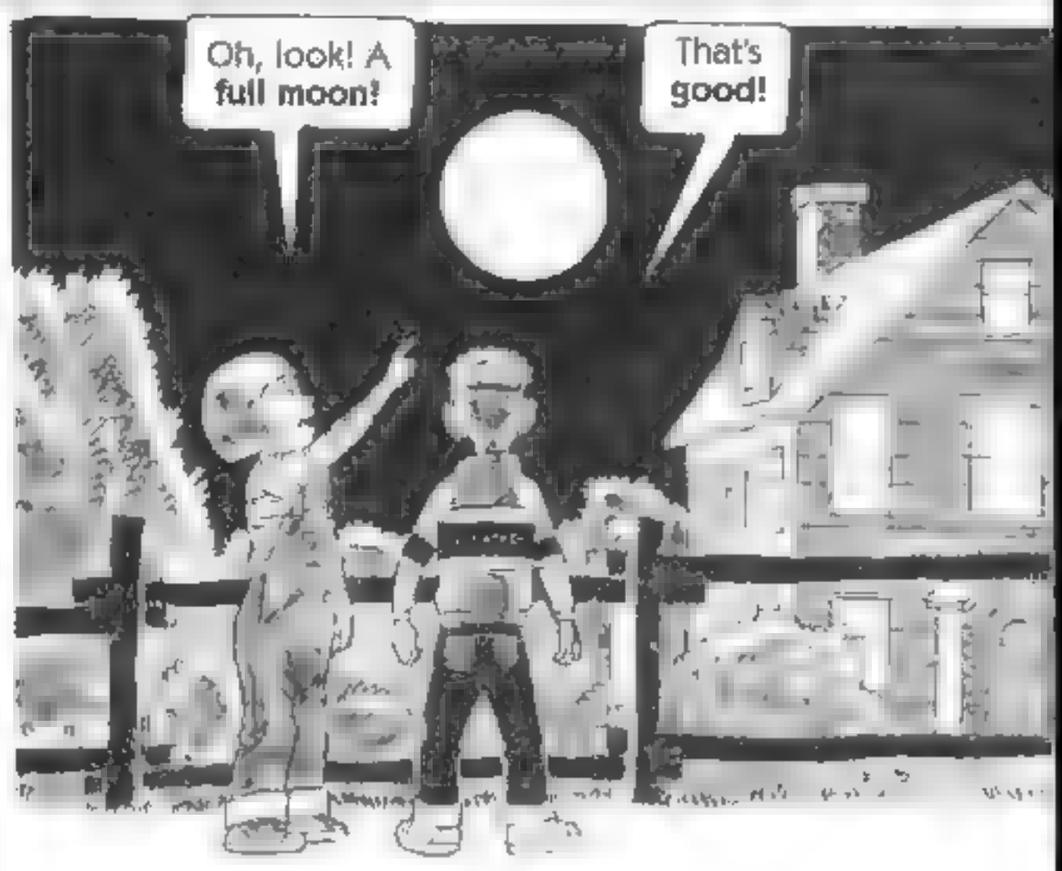
## BARBEQUES

## FISHING

## VALUES


Have you heard? I made the cheerleader squad!
Big deal! Jump around like a dweeb waving dumb pom-poms and wiggling your body so that these animals can ogle and scream! Cheerleading is a stupid, sexist activity!
I take it they didn't pick you for the squad!

## THE SPACE PROGRAM



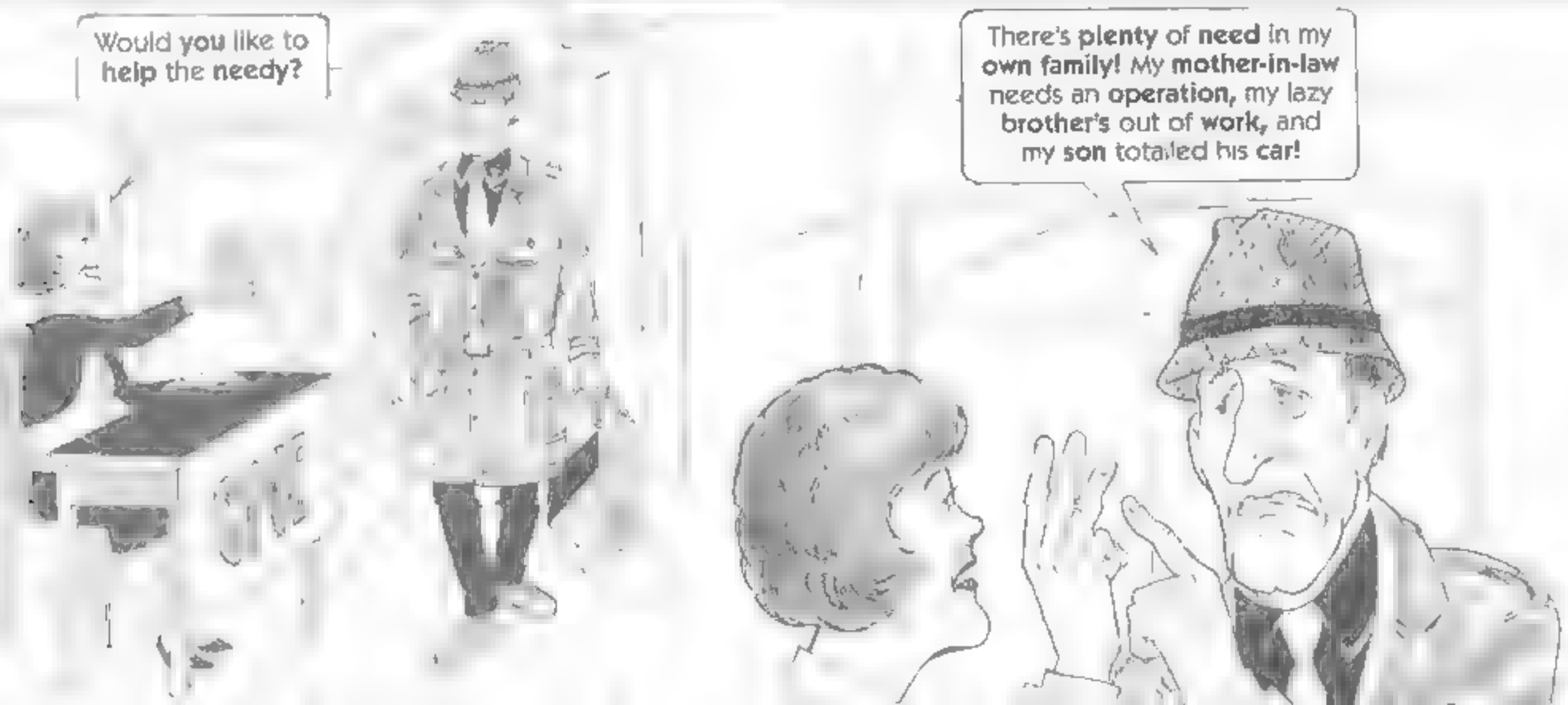
MAD FACTOIDS: Only 3% of all tourists can resist leaning out the car window and going "MOOO" whenever they drive by a cow pasture.

## LAWYERS

## FOOD

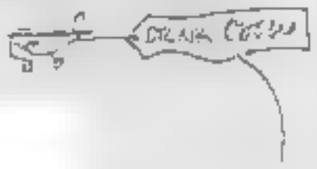
## THERAPY

## CHARITY


Would **you** like to **help** the **needy?**
There's **plenty** of **need** in my **own family!** My **mother-in-law** needs an **operation,** my lazy **brother's** out of **work,** and my **son** totaled his **car!**

# RESTRICTIONS

We can **call up** for a **pizza** delivery, a **Chinese food** delivery, a **fried chicken** delivery, a **beef** and **ribs** delivery, a **Mexican food** delivery
Pizza



MAD FACTOIDS: On average, an exercise machine sold via cable TV is available for 1/3 the price at yard sales within 2 months

But I just **bought** this **pack** of **cigarettes here!** Don't you think it's **ridiculous** that I can **buy** them **here** but **can't smoke them?**
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# THE OFFICE

Joe, who sets the rules around here?
You guys do!
Right!
And who gives the orders around here?
You guys do!
Right!
And who has all the intelligence around here?
I guess I do! I seem to come up with all the right answers!

# SECURITY

# DOCTORS

MAD FACTOIDS. Not a single user of Dr. Kevorkian's suicide machine has ever filed a complaint about its performance.


Nurse, do you have any postcards for this place?
Postcards? No we don't, Mr. Kaputnik! Why would you want postcards?
Since I'm spending most of my vacation in this waiting room, I might as well send out postcards from here!

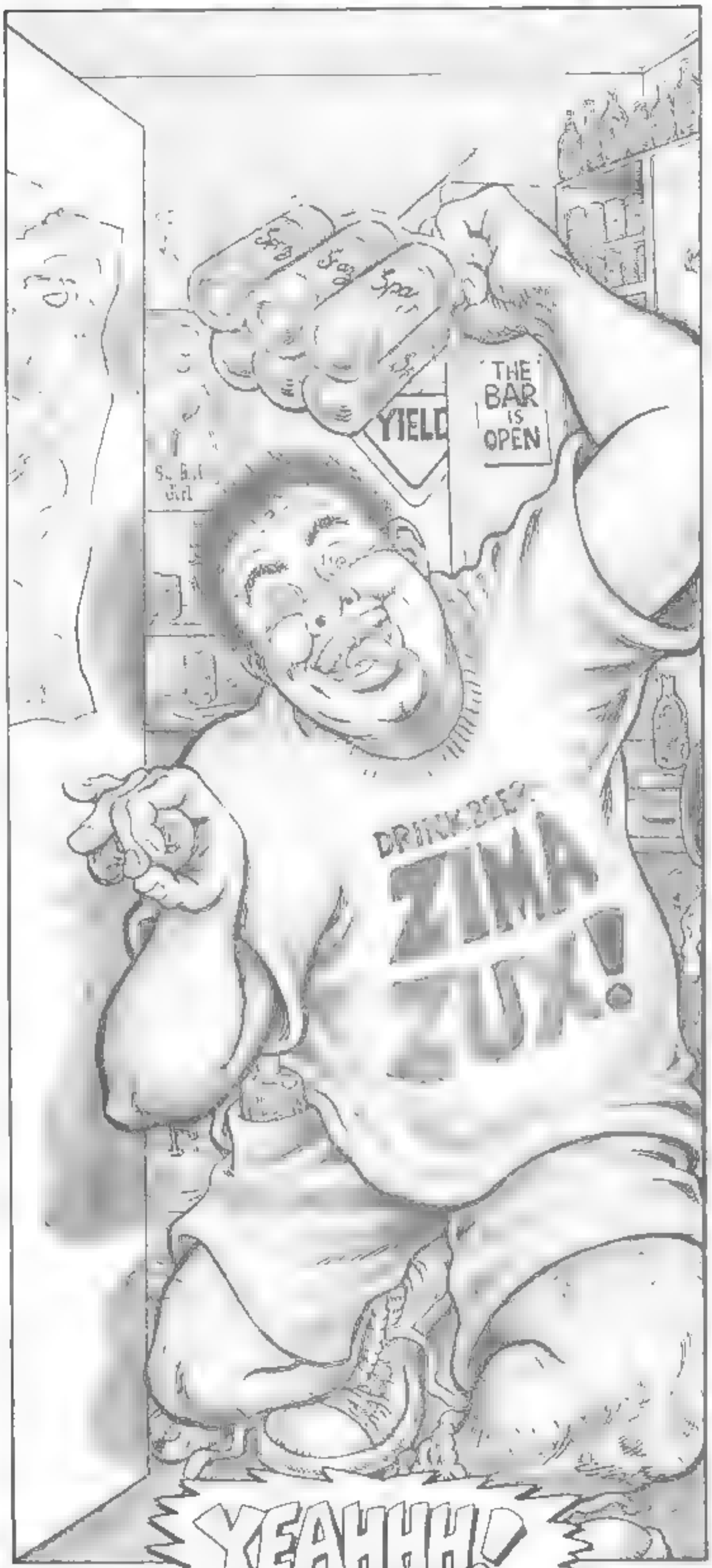
The most important aspect of a college education has nothing to do with textbooks, professors or laboratory rats. What really makes or breaks the success of the serious student is their compatibility with the person they're living with. For it is this very crucial and sometimes precarious living arrangement that supports the delicate environment in which the young minds of today must flourish. Thus it follows that the very future of our nation hinges on the tenuous nature of these vitally important relationships! So, as a public service to all the boarding students of America, we at MAD now provide you with this scholarly guide to...

# College Roommates From HELL

ARTIST: LESLIE STERNBERGH WRITER: STEVE PHILLIPS

MAD FACTOIDS: By the year 2014, every Pakistani cab driver in New York City will have been on *Late Show with David Letterman*

## The Party Animal


THE BAR IS OPEN
DRINK BEER?
ZIMA ZUX!
YEAHHH! NEW ROOMIE! DRINK! DRINK! DRINK! PARTY! PARTY! PARTY! TAPPA KEGGA BREW! YOU AIN'T SLEEPIN' THIS SEMESTER, BUD!

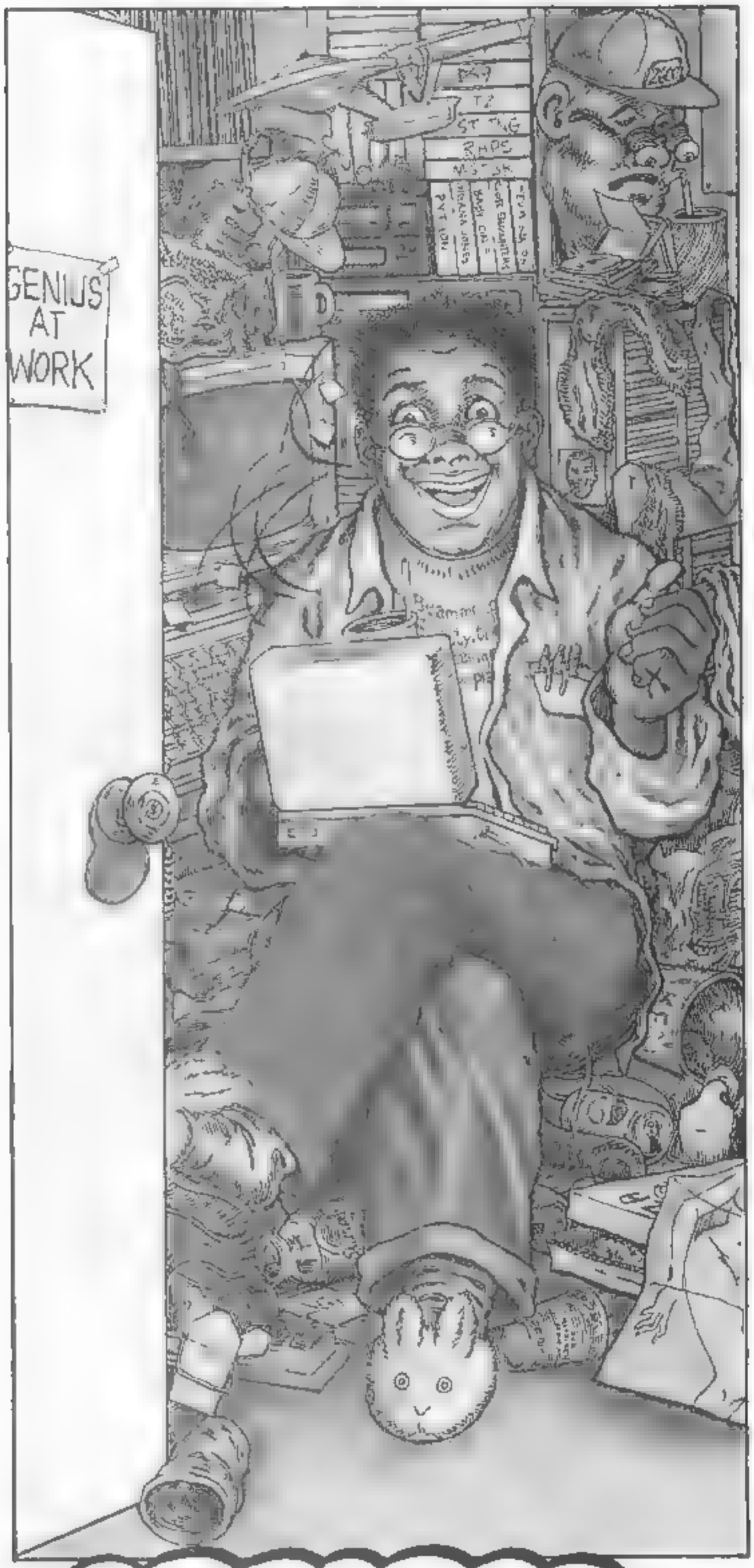
## The Mattress Maiden

Oh! Hi... uhh, ummm, uhh, COULD YOU COME BACK LATER- I- um- I'm kinda busy now. Psst! I met this really hot guy, ya know, so if there's a SOCK on the door... well, maybe you can find someplace else to sleep, okay?

## Ms. Pal-Zy-Wal-Zy

Hi! I'm Tiff! We're gonna be the best-o-friends for ever and ever! We can borrow each other's clothes, CDs, boyfriends... but first of course, we simply must do something with that hair!

# The Clutter King




Hi! C'mon in!! Your bed's over by the pizza boxes, your dresser is behind the bucket of wings, or is it behind the empties? Say, you're not one of those retentive types, are you?

# The Holy Roller

What do you mean you haven't accepted JESUS as your personal savior!? HEATHEN!! Down on your knees and repent! Denounce SATAN or be Damned for Eternity!

MAD FACTOIDS: The fat gained and lost by Oprah Winfrey in the last 10 years is enough to construct another 6 Kate Mosses

## The Dictator

TAP TAP

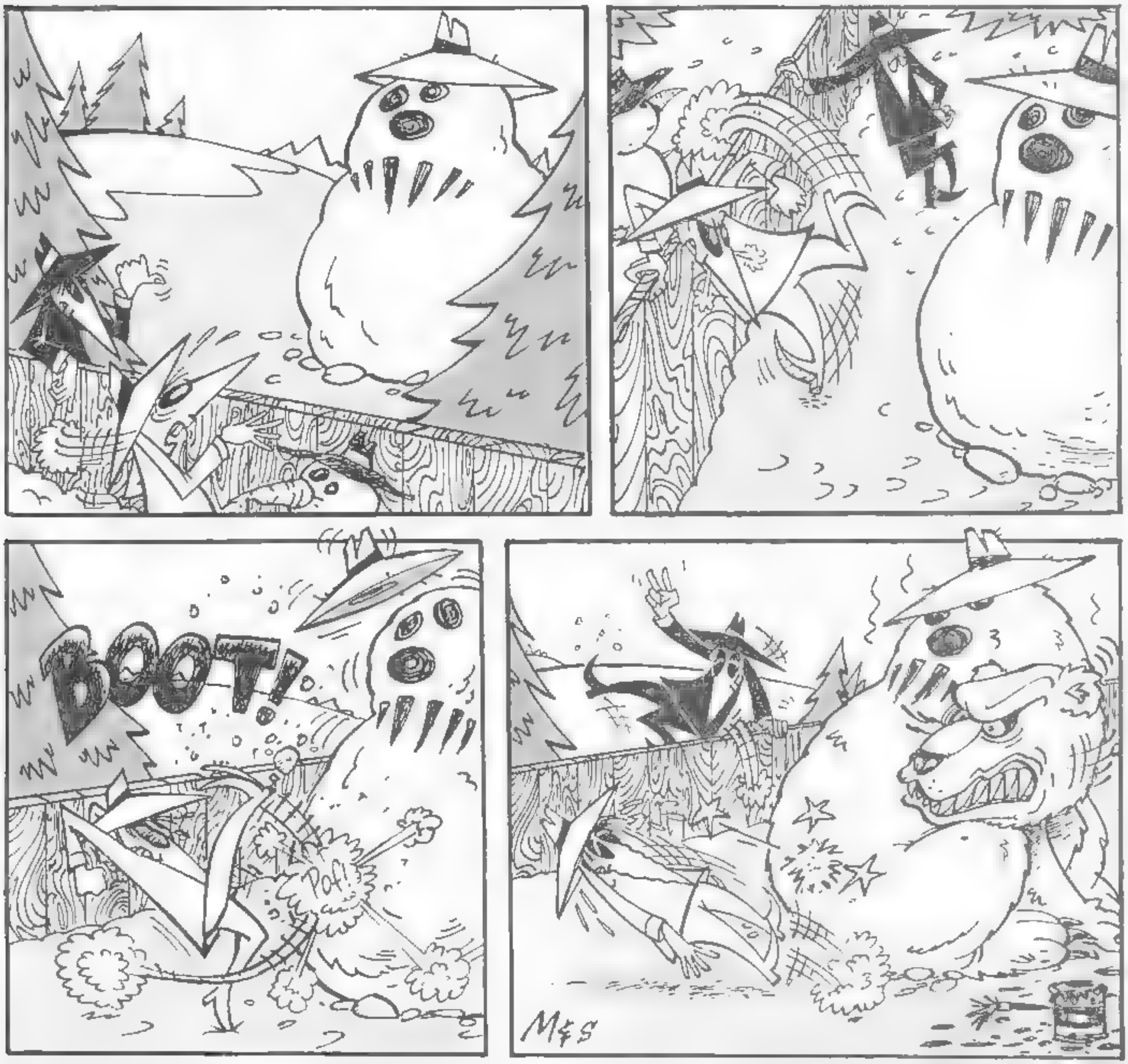
**First**-my cashmere sweaters are **M-I-N-E!**
**Second**- I don't share cosmetics, cars or boyfriends, unless I'm done using them!
**Third**-I get **10** hours beauty sleep so lights are out by nine! **Fourth**-the bottom drawer is yours! Now that that's taken care of...hi, how are you?

## The Deadhead

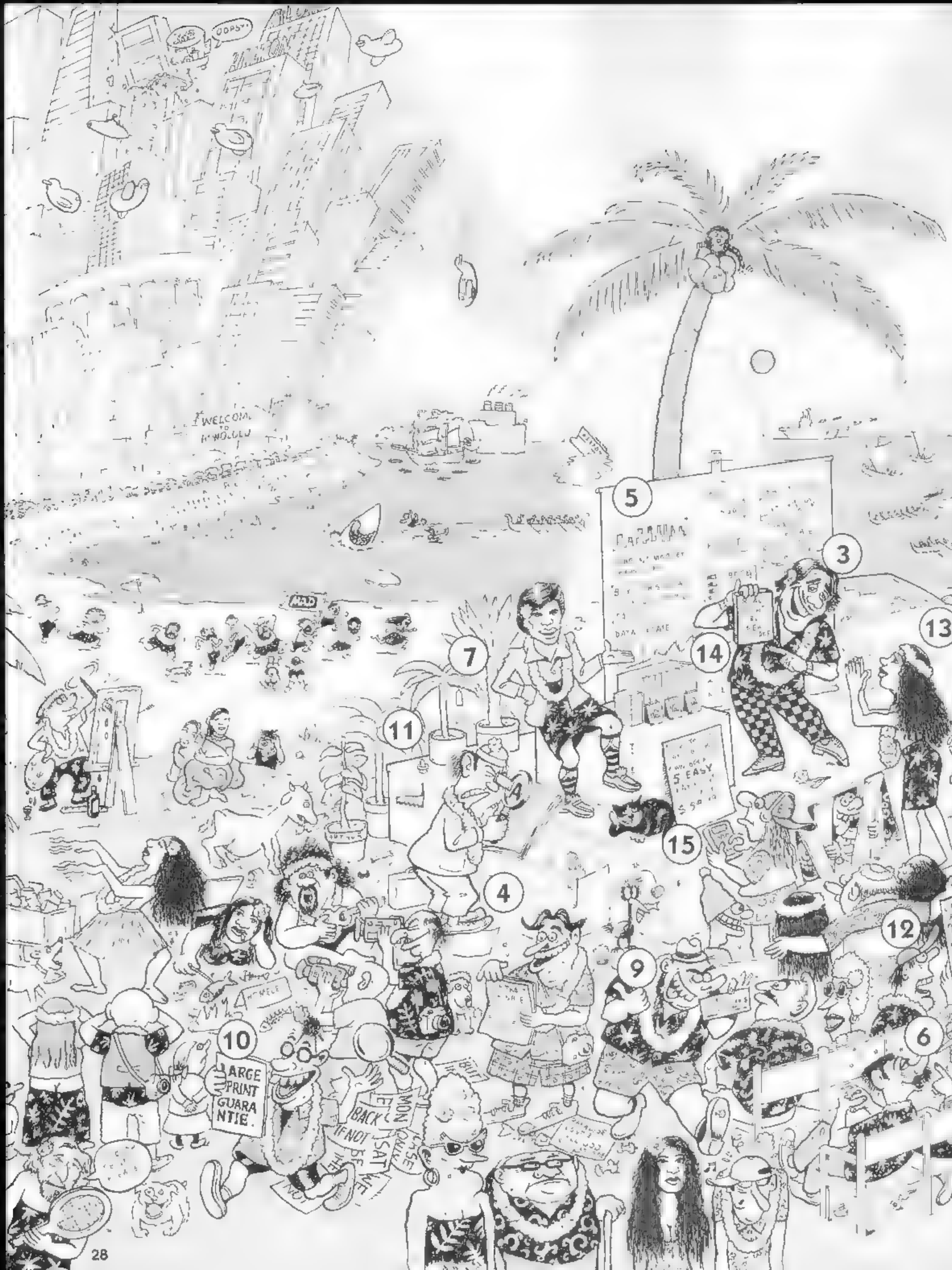
MEAN BITCH SUCK

98% HEMP

Yiii~UHHHHHHHHHH Uhhhhhh...Where you? OH WOW GODDAMN! COULD USE SOMETHING HELP YOURSELF TO WHATEVER... WHERE YOU AGAIN?




MAD FACTOIDS Al Sharpton, non-alcoholic beer Jesse Helms and the Hi me Shopping Network are all part of an elaborate practical joke being played on us by beings from the 14th Dimension


OOPS!
WELCOME TO HOLLAND
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LARGE PRINT GUARANTIE.
MONEY BACK IF NOT SATISFIED

**ERR APPARENT DEPT.**

Once again one of MAD's idiot artists has screwed-up big time. In fact, we count fifteen boneheaded boo-boos in this illustration of one of those irritating, sleazy, long-winded, "paid advertisements" that pollute the airwaves on late night TV—

# HOW MANY MiSTAKES CAN YOU FiND iN THiS PICTURE OF A REAL ESTATE INFOMERCIAL?

1. The man and woman are leaving because the Real Estate "Guru" Pitchman advised against buying real estate due to the current market conditions.

2. The audience is applauding without being prompted by the idiot light.

3. The Real Estate "Guru" Pitchman is really the "established business leader" he claims to be.

4. The guy from the F.C.C. is checking the show's script for factual mistepresentations.

5. These charts belong to Ross Perot

6. The couple realizes they are watching a paid commercial program and not a talk show.

7. John Davidson is not acting like an "a--hole" and expressing wondrous amazement at the Real Estate "Guru" Pitchman's claims.

8. The Rolls Royce in the background has actually been paid for and is the property of the Real Estate "Guru" Pitchman.

9. The guy who used the course to buy foreclosed property was able to sell it to someone other than another schmuck who took the course

10. The money-back guarantee has no fine print.

11. The plants are real.

12. The "Limited Time Special Offer" is actually different from the regular price.

13. The lady applauding wildly is not a friend or a relative of the producers of the show.

14. The "valuable information" in this course can't be found anywhere else but in this course.

15. Someone in the audience actually figured out that "five easy payments of $59.99" comes to almost $300!

ARTIST: TOM BUNK WRITER: CHRIS HART

# THE BOMBASTIC BAPTISMAL BEFUDDLEMENT

And so, my children, what is the BAPTISMAL NAME you've chosen for your BABY BOY?
PAUL!
Ah! A WONDERFUL choice!
HOLD EVERYTHING! That's MY GRANDSON and I'LL do the NAME CHOOSING!
But, my DEAR LADY...
BUTT OUT! His NAME will be SPINALDO, after my THIRD HUSBAND!
SPINALDO? If YOU think I'M going to be STRADDLED with a NAME like THAT, you've got another GUESS coming, grandma!
I want the name "PAUL," just like my PARENTS said!
ANOTHER VOICE has SPOKEN! And so it shall be DONE! I herewith BAPTIZE you "PAUL"!
VENTRILOQUIST PRIEST, you've DONE IT AGAIN! Look how HAPPY you've MADE those people!
Well, TWO out of THREE isn't SO BAD, I guess. . .



ARTIST AND WRITER: DUCK EDWING

MAD FACTOIDS: The latest successful flavors of Baskin Robbins ice cream are "Fish Ripple" and "Rocky Dirt Road."

Everybody out there shut up and listen! This is a $#%&-ing intro to a &*$#-ing MAD magazine story!

Any of you $#%&-ing flinch and we'll execute every last mother %$#*-ing one of you!

So sit in your &*%$-ing seats and read this &*$%-ing movie parody! It's called...

VIOLENCE OF THE HAMS DEPT.

ARTIST- SAM VIVIANO
WRITER- ARNIE KOGEN

# PLOT FRICTION

Tell me again about a subject movie audiences are clamoring to hear about — international fast food!

Okay! In Paris they don't call a burger a Big Mac! They call it Le Big Mac!

Damn!

And in Holland they put mayo on fries!

Wow! No $#&!?!

I thought that this was going to be a gangster film!

I paid $7 to see the '90s versions of Clemenza and Corleone! Instead, I got Regis and Kathie Lee in a cooking segment!

I didn't know the Blues Brothers were making a comeback!

It's not the Blues Brothers! It's Vonce and Jowls — two hit men for a mob boss!

It's hard to believe this movie won the Cannes Film Festival!

It's all style! They're turning the crude material of cheap crime novels nto art!

Turn sleaze into art! Why didn't we do that? Critics thought us too violent in *Natural Born Killers!*

Shut up or I'll kill you!

I'm going to be a famous screen-writer!

Then observe the form closely! This movie has three criss-crossing stories, interrupted by bizarre character turns making the last story chronologically first!

Forget film writing! I'm going into auto repair!

Is it really true this movie's plot structure is out of sequence?

Put it this way: right now you're not in this opening splash panel! You're actually on the last page!

Oh, I see! It's *Back to the Future* in reverse!

Drink from [redacted] and you will live forever!

Le Fotostat! You're supposed to be in MAD's satire of *Interview With the Vampire!* Why are you here?

Hunger! From the blood that's splattered in this film I could feed myself for decades!

Well, we made small talk about French fries, the metric system and foot massage!

Here's our floor! We gotta splatter a few brains!

Too bad! I was just going to chat about hot chocolate, estate planning and stretch marks!

You know what we do to yuppie punks who double cross our boss?

Here it comes!

Ezekiel 23 16: "The path of the righteous is beset on all sides by the selfish and the tyranny of evil men..."

Geez! I hate these endless sermons!

BAM BAM BAM BAM BAM

What church is this guy from?

Our Lady Of Perpetual Assault Weapons!

Botch, I'm betting a bundle on you to take a dive! Can I trust you?

I'm as solid as the day is long!

Don't forget, we're not on Daylight Savings time anymore!

I think we got problems!

I'm Vonce! The boss asked me to take you out to dinner!

Great! I know we're gonna get along just fine!

Yeah? How come?

We're both stoned, both monotone, and both have the strangest hairdos on the planet!

Wow! A fifties theme restaurant!

All the fifties celebrities are here! Who do you want as your waiter — Marilyn Monroe, James Dean or Buddy Holly?

It doesn't matter! Everyone and everything was great in the fifties!

MENU, DIG?

Hi, I'm your waiter, Senator Joseph McCarthy! And you're sitting in an Edsel!

Ooops! Maybe I spoke too soon!

MENU

MAD FACTOIDS: 88% of all overweight people say they would buy a Mel-A-Meal if it came with a guarantee that Richard Simmons would never personally visit them

Wow! You're a pretty good dancer!

I've had some experience! Have you seen *Saturday Night Fever? Grease? Urban Cowboy?*

Yes I have! Good thing this isn't an Acting Contest!

It's my boss's wife! She's on #%@-ing heroin!

Are you @$%-ing crazy bringing that %$@#-ed up chick here? Why the *&^% didn't you bring the %#!$ to a hospital!

They don't have the #*@% skills to pull this off!

You mean the medical skills?

No. I mean the #%@-ing profanity skills!

You gotta plunge the adrenaline straight into her heart!

I don't know where the heart is exactly!

You don't know? Haven't you done this before?

Sure! Once to a pro ball club owner, once to a Hollywood agent and once to my lawyer!

None of them have a heart! No wonder you don't know where it is!

Botch, we've got a special visitor! This is Captain Yawns! He was in the P.O.W. camp with daddy!

Hello little man! I've got something for you!

A watch?

There's a problem! It's a little behind!

You mean it's slow?

No, that's where it's been for seven years!

Wow! Talk about anal retentive!

Five years your dad kept this watch up his keister and then he gave it to me! I kept this hunk of metal up my butt for two years and now little man, I give the watch to you!

Yecch! If it's not too much trouble, sir, could I have a savings bond instead?

Botch, wake up! It's time!

For the fight?

For the second story to kick in!

Where to, mister?

I just double-crossed a mob boss! I was paid to take a dive but didn't!

I know! I'll drive you to the *Brown Derby!*

The *Brown Derby?* That place disappeared in the Forties!

So did the "mob boss fixed fight" plot!

HACK

I'm going back to the apartment for my watch!

Botch, that's crazy! The mob will be waiting to kill you!

Baby, I have to go back! It's a family heirloom!

I think you have your head where your father's watch was for seven years!

This is %$#& ing incredible! I m in the bathroom one minute and you happen to walk in! What are the odds of that happening?

The same odds that with all this gunfire in these "paper thin" apartments, no neighbors have shown up or called the cops!

BAM BAM KABLAM

You guys have accidentally stumbled into the wrong pawnshop!

Mmmph! Mmmph! What are you gonna do?

Let me put it this way...This scene will make the "squeal like a pig" scene in *Deliverance* look like *A Very Brady Christmas!*

They shamed me! They did horrible, unspeakable things to me!

You mean they...?

Yes! And I wasn't the first guy they've done it to! Look at what happened to him!

We're baaaaack!

How is this possible? You were killed four scenes ago!

There's this saying I picked up years ago! It's called "Stayin' alive! Stayin' alive!"

BAM BAM BAM

What are you guys doing in my house?

Jammy, we know you're a big "topless" fan!

Yeah! So...?

We brought in a drug dealer with his head missing!

I'm Winston Wolfe! I solve problems!

In a tuxedo?

In the last movie I was in, *The Piano*, I walked around buck naked! Be grateful for small favors!

PET SHOW

MAD FACTOIDS: Organizers of the 1996 Atlanta Olympics have voted to allow Carjacking, Tourist Murdering and Drive-by Shooting — but only as "demonstration sports."

As I understand it, you got a corpse in a car, minus a head! Here's what we do: You're gonna scrub the back seat, scoop up all the little pieces of brain and skull, wipe down the upholstery and clean the windows with Windex! Really scrub!

Wow! This guy really is a clean-up man!

I knew the mob was into money laundering... but upholstery laundering?

Say, who does this guy remind you of?

Not sure! He's dressed like Mr. Peanut, but he sounds like my Aunt Freda!

I don't like taking orders without a "please"!

Don't %#*& with Wolfie! You tangle with me, I'm in your face!

Yeah!?! Whatta you packing? A luger, a .45, a semi-automatic?

I got Lemon Pledge with a nozzle attachment!

Back off, Vonce! I ain't messing with the Mr. Clean of the mobster world!

SEE— I *TOLD* YOU!

Holy #%&*$! I'm witnessing another miracle!

The fact that we happen to be in the same coffee shop at the same exact moment as those two creeps from the first scene?

In this movie that's standard! I'm talking about the fact that we're in an L.A. restaurant and nobody's having a power breakfast!

Jeez! This diner scene is taking forever!

I bet we would have gotten quicker service if one of us wasn't a black man!

Just our luck! We picked a @#$%-ing Denny's!

WELCOME

DENNY'S

WHAT

ME WORRY

ANOTHER MEN

What was our haul?

Thirty dollars in cash, twelve nipple rings, seven pairs of designer sunglasses, four astrological charts, a deed to a tofu farm and a spec *Seinfeld* script!

We gotta get out of Southern Californ-nia!

As director of this film I was pretty $#%&-ing good in my acting cameo!

You sucked, man! But I nailed my performance in *Do The Right Thing!*

You were both amateurs! The trick is to be brief!

I gave up acting! I've been too busy helping my girlfriends with their homework!

Excuse me! Do you have the right time?

I'll have to go to the bathroom to look at my watch!

Uh, never mind! Waiter! Check please!

# PUTTING ST
# PLAYERS BA

My oh my, how professional baseball players have suffered! Since the Major League Baseball Strike began back in August and their salaries have been halted, they've had to make some pretty big lifestyle adjustments. Hey, it's not easy making payments on the family Rolls, buying self-congratulatory diamond-studded jewelry and trying to support an expensive drug habit on their meager million-dollar savings! Good Lord, might some of them actually have to go out and GET A JOB to make ends meet?!? Fear not! MAD comes to the rescue with some suggestions on...

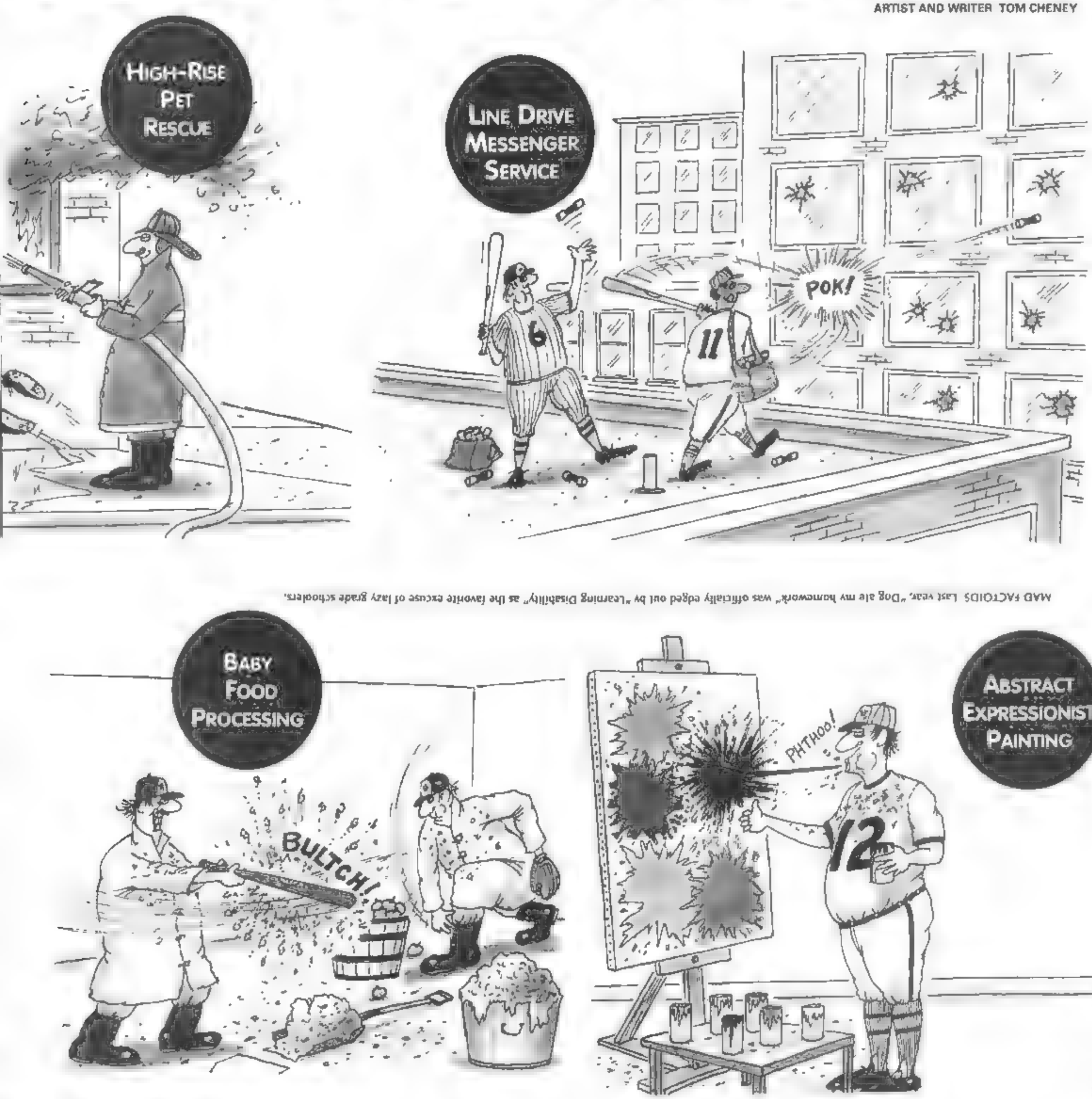
RAPID TRANSPLANT ORGAN RELAY

C.I.A. SECRET CODE TRANSMISSION

HIGH-PRESSURE CAR SALES

# TRIKING BASEBALL
# ACK TO WORK

ARTIST AND WRITER TOM CHENEY




MAD FACTOIDS Last year, "Dog ate my homework" was officially edged out by "Learning Disability" as the favorite excuse of lazy grade schoolers.

Aren't you sick of being bombarded day after day with newspaper coverage of the O.J. Simpson trial? Don't you wish the entire fiasco could be wrapped up once and for all? Well, fret no more, dear reader. Simply fill in the numbered blank spaces from the corresponding lists as we stumble to the rescue with MAD's...

# ALL INCLUSIVE DO-IT-YOURSELF O.J. SIMPSON TRIAL NEWSPAPER STORY

The O.J. Simpson trial ___(1)___ today when ___(2)___ revealed that ___(3)___ ___(4)___. This development ___(5)___ ___(6)___, who declared ___(7)___ and vowed to ___(8)___. According to ___(9)___, the trial ___(10)___.

ARTIST: RICK TULKA WRITER: FRANK JACOBS

**(1)**

was rocked by controversy
entered its third year
began all over
hit #5 on the charts
was bought by Disney
upstaged Clinton's impeachment
lost control of its bodily functions
was moved to the Nexus
stunned the fashion world
lost home-field advantage
shattered hearts in Spokane
inspired three more jokes in bad taste

**(3)**

Judge Lance Ito
Marcia Clark
Robert Shapiro
Juror #11
Wendy the Snapple Lady
Simpson's limo driver
a DNA expert
one of the Three Tenors
David Letterman's mom
a Topps executive
Kim Basinger's financial planner
a third Menendez brother

**(5)**

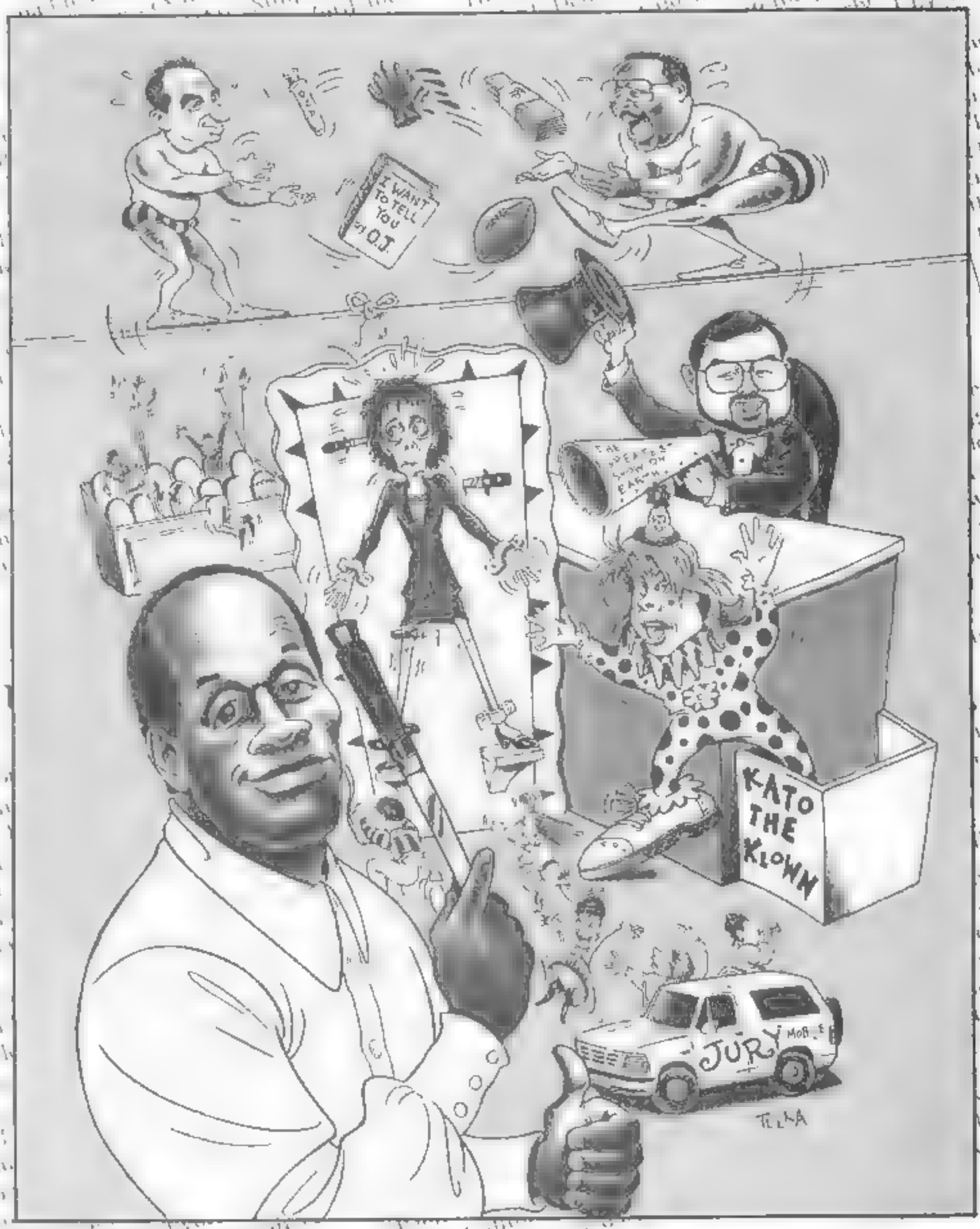
secretly delighted
came as a blow to
ended bathroom breaks for
got two "thumbs up" from
means a six-figure book deal for
locks up a playoff spot for
led to a bad hair day for
guarantees sainthood for
doesn't mean squat to
eliminates tax breaks for
led to excessive groveling by
ended years of celibacy for

**(6)**

the prosecution
the defense team
the Al Cowlings Fan Club
Johnnie Cochran's in-laws
Brentwood tour guides
the cast of "Women of the House"
apprentice swineheads
the regulars at Phil's Place
the Nation of Islam
the Fresno smart set
Simpson's creditors
militant cross-dressers

**(7)**

their belief in O.J.'s innocence
their belief in O.J.'s guilt
their faith in 20-month trials
war on plaid socks
"Stupid is as stupid does,"
"We'll always have Paris,"
"Colonel Mustard in the library!"
"It's gotta be the shoes!"
their commitment to the Wonder Bra
themselves anal retentives
the Cornhuskers national champions
"There's Hertz and there's not exactly."

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The National Enquirer
ESPN
"Hard Copy"
Kato Kaelin's horoscope
the brown sealed envelope
satellite photos
Max Korn under oath
Heidi Fleiss's little black book
the Lincoln-Douglas debates
footprints on Mars
field mice droppings
an Internet wacko

4

had a good 20 pounds on Rosey Grier
owned a white Ford Bronco
had flunked law school
was sleeping with Alan Dershowitz
worshipped Baal
gave "Dumb & Dumber" four stars
felt "that way" about bailiffs
had a history of bedwetting
enjoyed nude skateboarding
was obsessed by yak lust
did eel impressions
was replacing Conan O'Brien

8

appeal the ruling
bring in Matlock
manacle unruly jurors
share in the film rights
raffle off the evidence
reunite the Tom Arnolds
make Oz Munchkin -free
get Jimmy Carter to mediate
exchange hugs in chambers
floss before cross-examining
become vegetarians
riot whatever the verdict

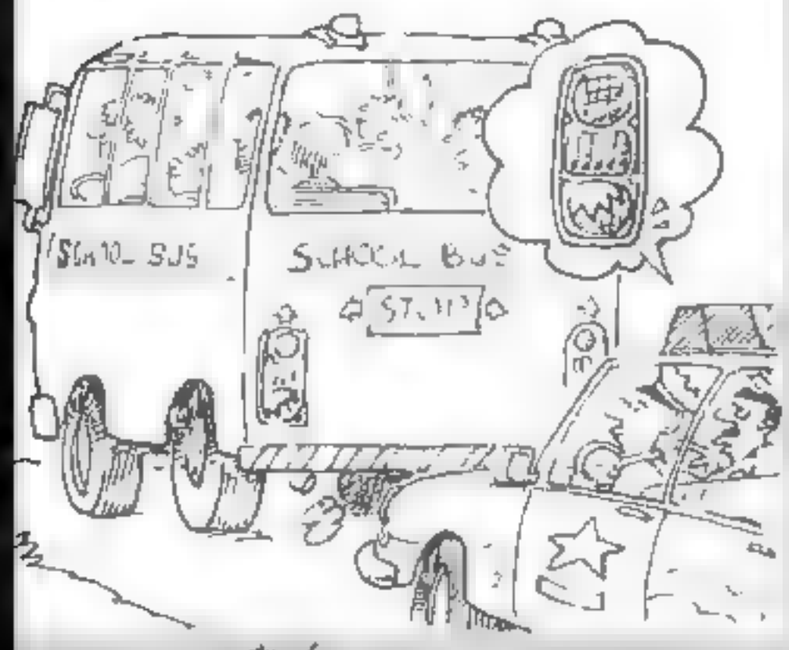
9

the L.A. Times
a source close to heaven
F. Lee Bailey's evil twin
a new movie by Oliver Stone
a Martha Stewart decorating tip
Macedonian folklore
a bribed witness
a Navajo mating ritual
a player to be named later
cyborg tradition
Connie Chung in a trance
a Johnny Depp proverb

10

should wind up in 1997
will outdraw the Clippers
will be decided by a coin toss
will bankrupt L.A. County
will bring back "The Far Side"
will banish Hulk Hogan from acting
will be optioned by Spike Lee
will wow them in Ghana
proves rich is better
is a natural for Nintendo
cries out for a sequel
will never end

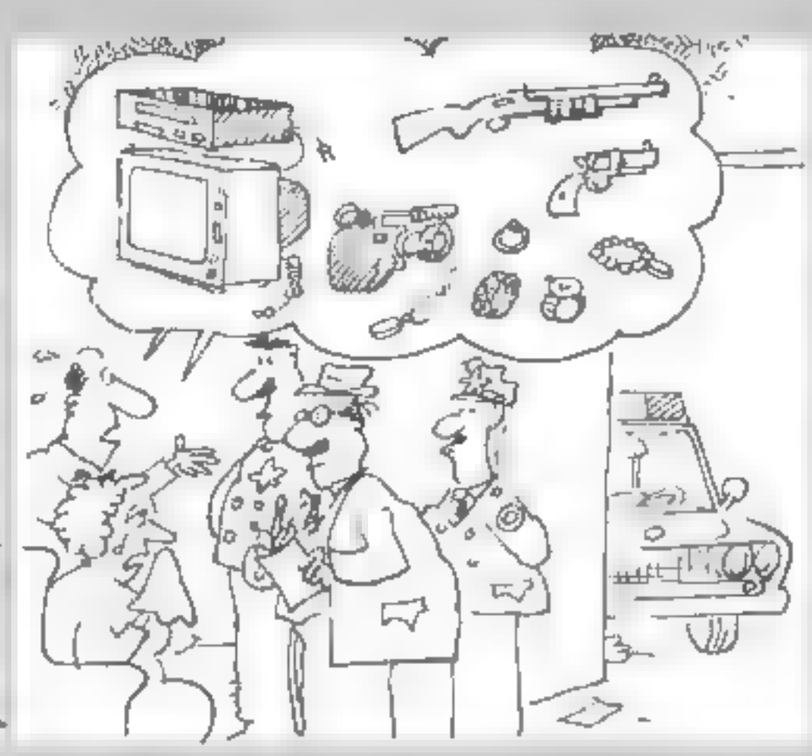
# A WAD LOOK AT

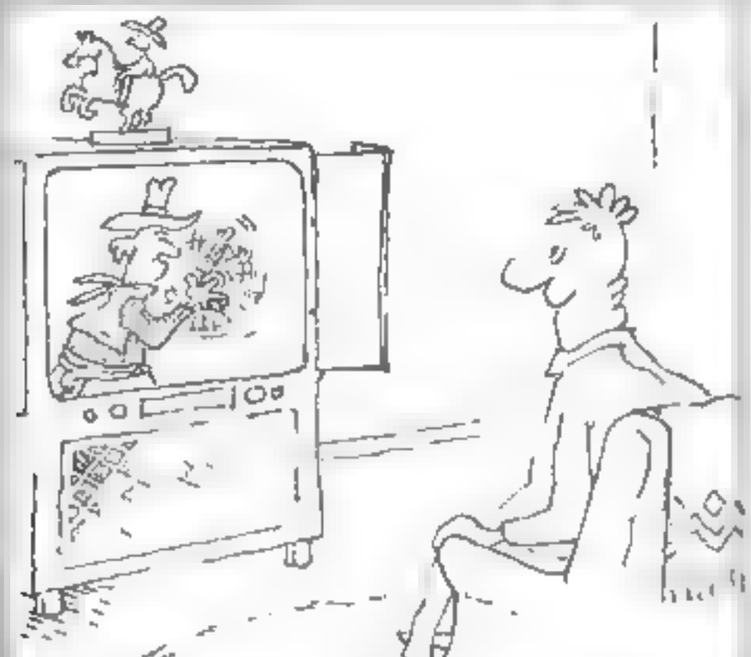


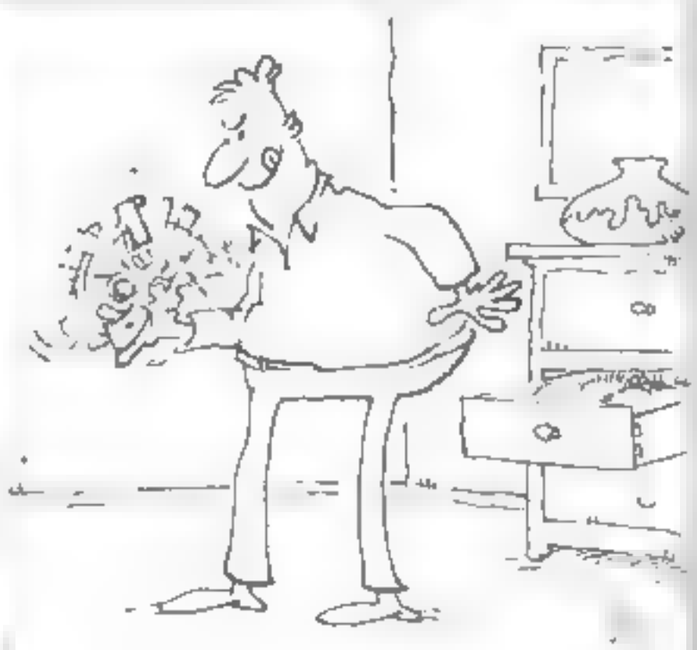
# HANDGUNS

ARTIST AND WRITER: SERGIO ARAGONES

MAD FACTOIDS: The most unsuccessful Social Program dreamed up by 17th Century Utopists for dealing with the Barbary Pirates: Midnight Water Polo.







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GUN CONTROL
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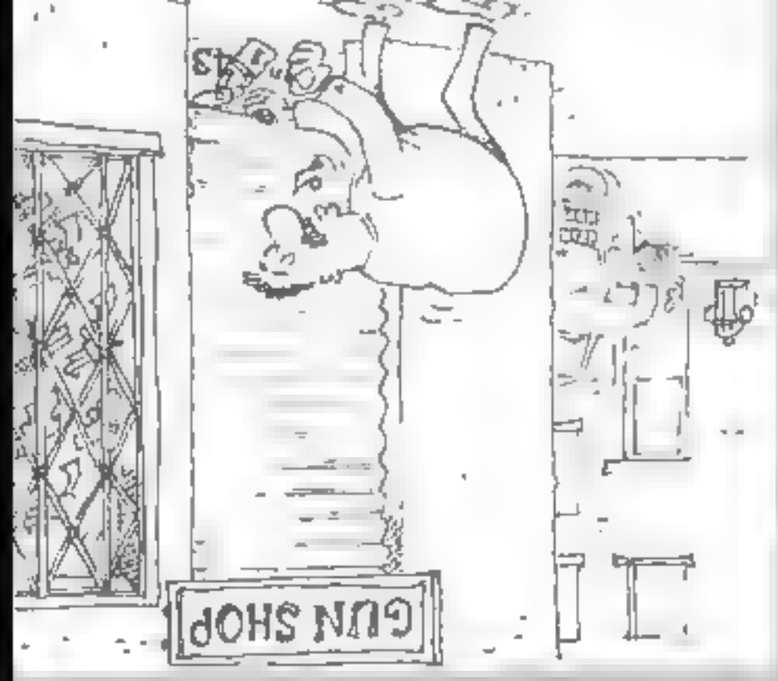
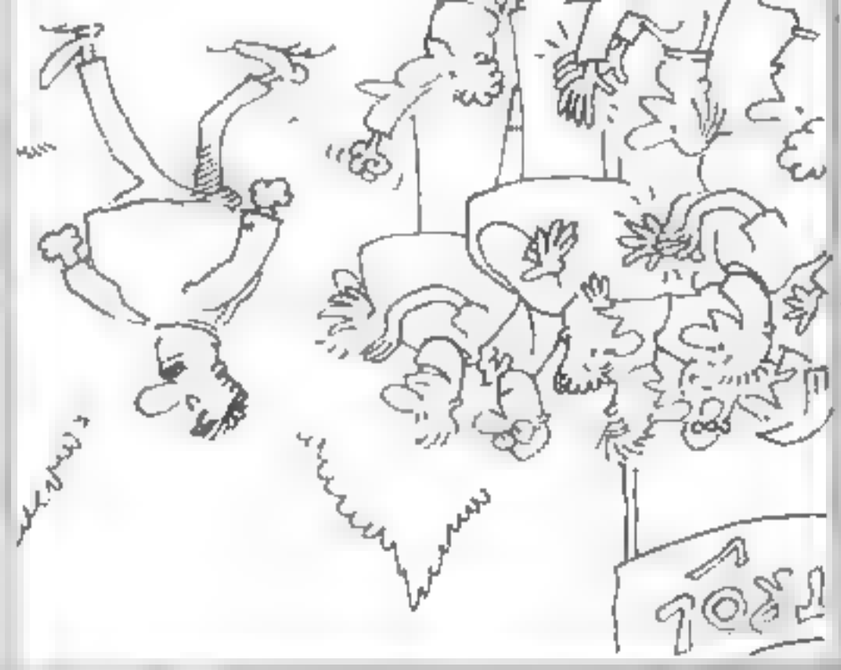
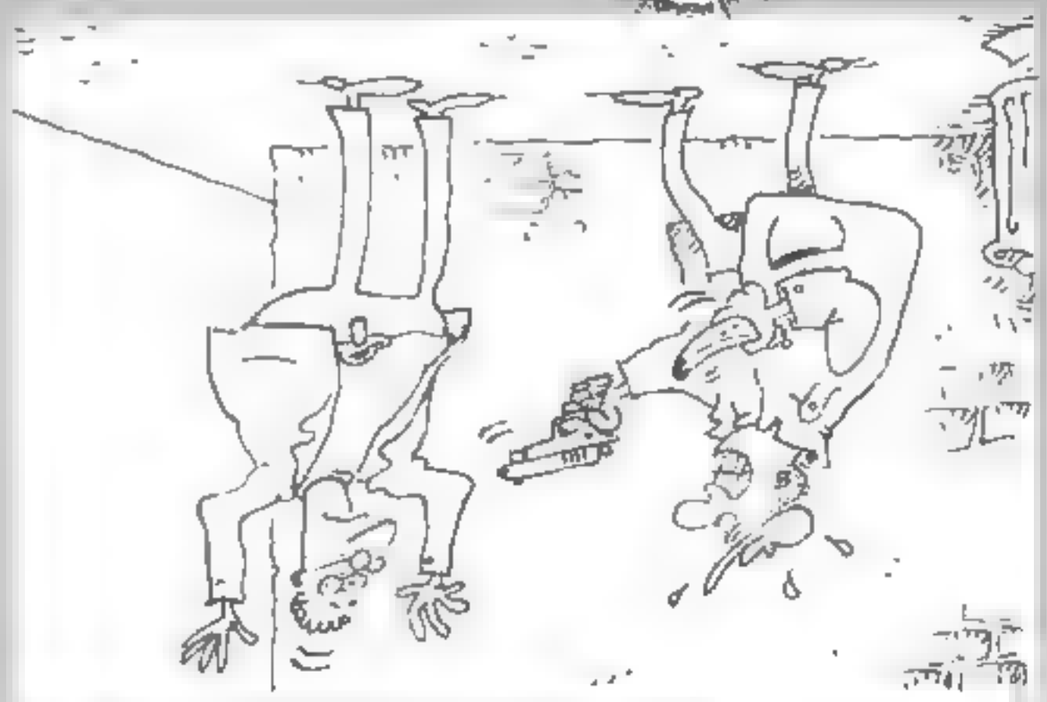
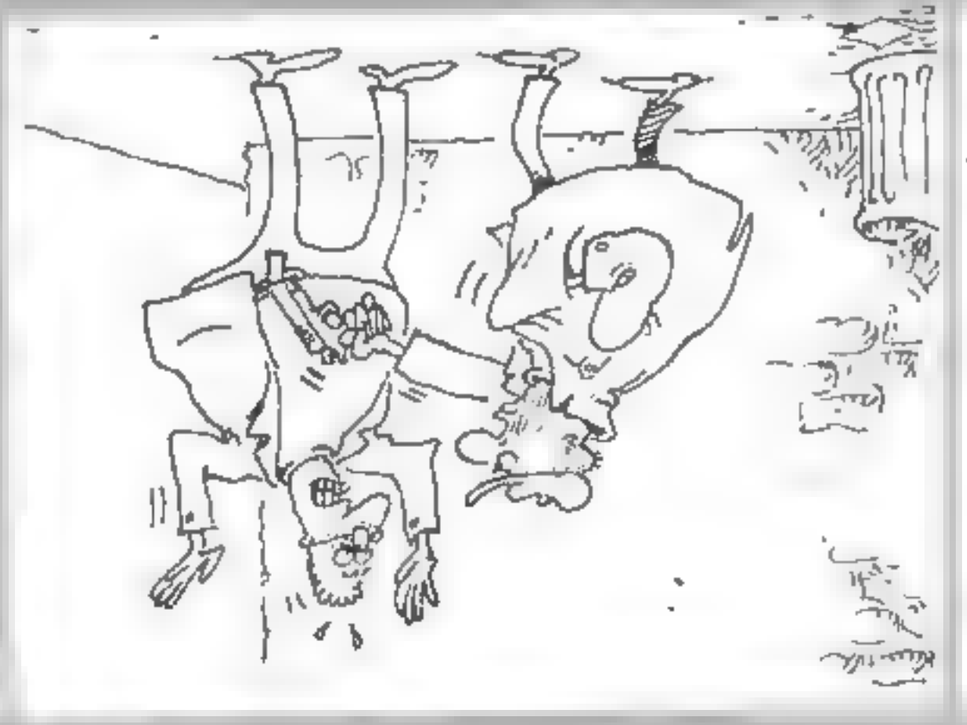
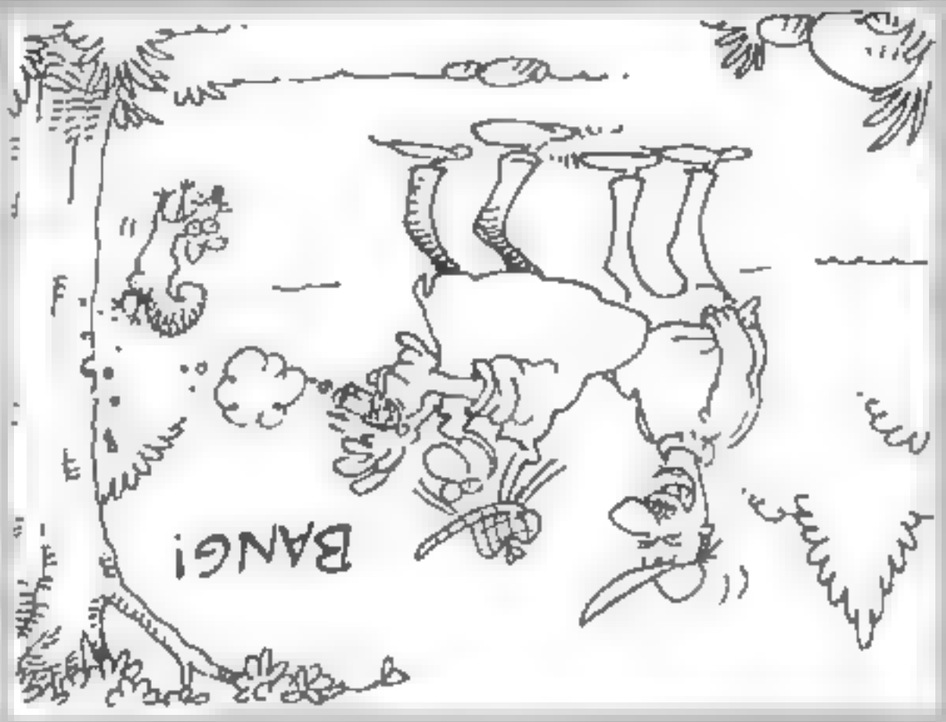


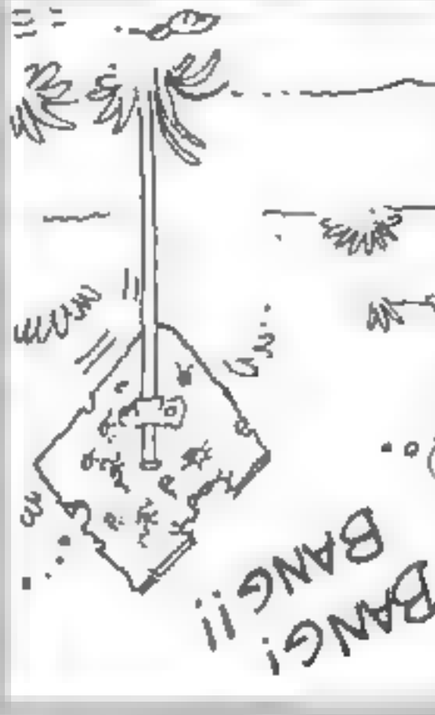



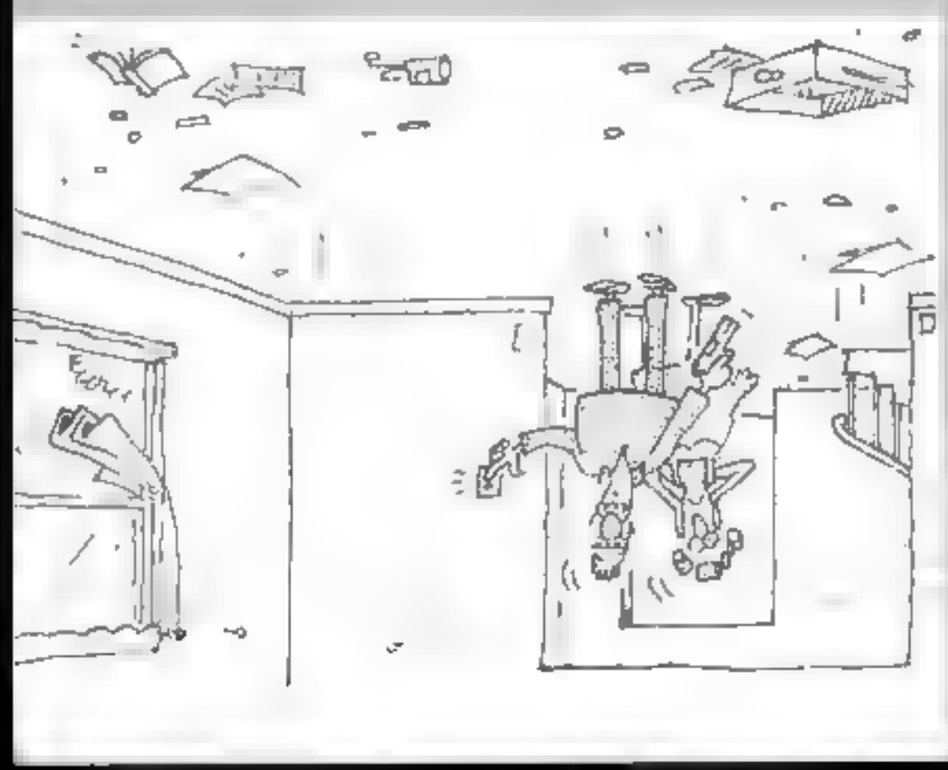


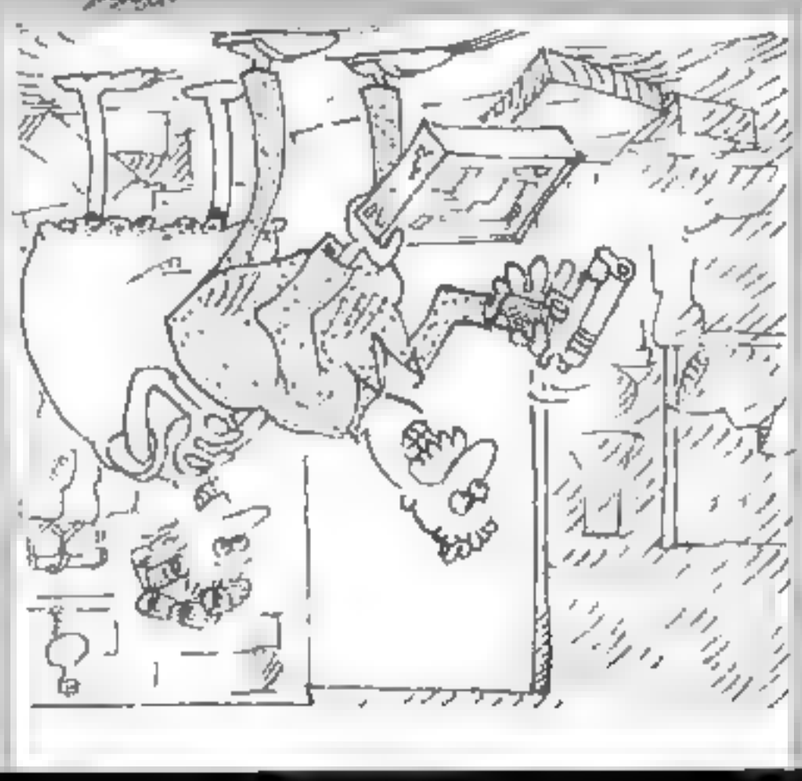


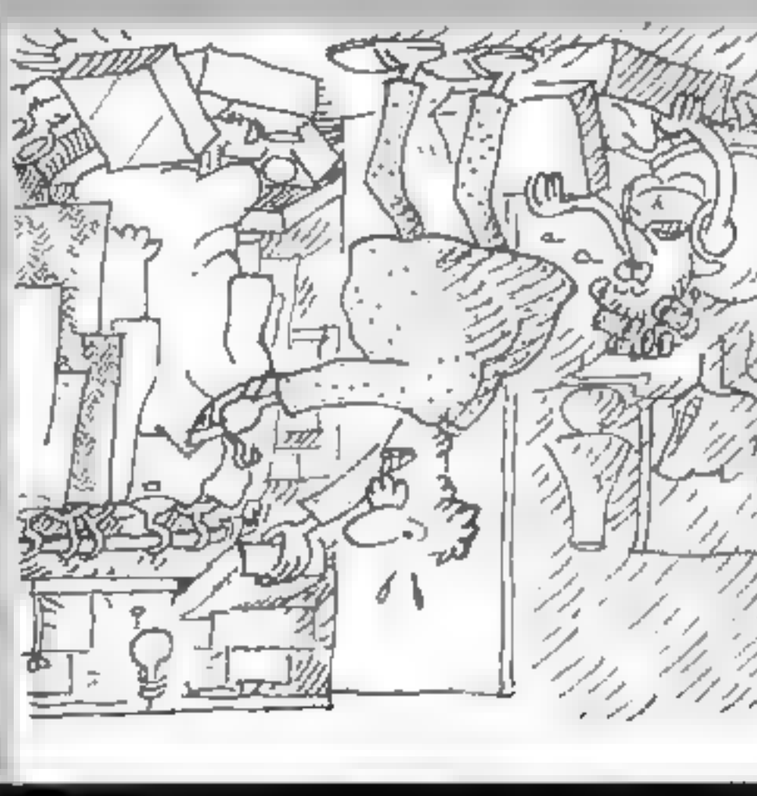
MAD FACTOIDS Contrary to popular belief, the Pyramids and the Sphinx were actually part of an early Egyptian Amusement Park named "PointyLand."







## CLOSE ENCOUNTERS OF THE ABSURD KIND DEPT.

Hello, I'm **Robbed Serling! Submitted** for your **approval**, you are **traveling** through **150 channels** with your **remote**, trying to find an **interesting show** to land on! **Suddenly**, you meet an **FBI agent** who is **convinced** our **planet** is **overrun** with **aliens!** Every **sight** and **sound** is **distorted** in his **mind!** The opening credits **should** read: **Robbed Serling's *The Twilight Zone!* Instead** many of **my stories** have been **recycled** into the. . .

I'm special agent **Facts Moldy!** I investigate **cases** that have **no human** explanation! Like **why** do **Superheroes** wear **capes** and just how **did Conan O'Brien** get his **own TV show?** I believe in **psychic phenomena, extraterrestrial beings, UFOs, ghosts** and the **Easter Bunny!** And I have **Proof!** If the Easter Bunny **doesn't** exist then **who** the hell **colors** all those **eggs every year?**

I'm **Agent Skulky**, and I **work** with **Agent Moldy!** My **job** is to **assist him** and to **make sure** he **doesn't** go off the **deep end** with his **strange** and **disturbing stories**, and give the **agency a bad name!** Of **course**, after what **J. Edgar Hoover** did, making the **bureau** look **bad** is a **tall order!** If you **look around** me, you'll **see** some excellent **specimens** of **unexplained phenomena** and **mutant life forms! This** is one of our **main** research centers, **New York's Port Authority Bus Terminal!**

I'm a **secret government informant!** I know, **big deal**, there are **two million secret** government **informants!** But **my job** is **different!** I'm **paid** by the **producers** of ***The Ecch-Files*** to show up whenever the **writers** need to **advance** the **story**, or **fill** in **big gaps** in the **plot**. . .that **means** I work fairly **often!**

I'm **FBI Assistant Director Skinhead.** Facts Moldy's **tough**, no nonsense boss! I **don't** believe in **aliens!** In fact, the **only** thing **harder** than **finding a real alien** on Earth is **finding any** sign of a **personality** in **me!**

I'm Agent **Moldy's sister!** My **brother** became **interested** in **outer space** phenomena when my **body rose up** one day and **glided away!** He **thinks** I was **abducted** by **aliens!** The **truth** is, I **sucked** one **too many helium balloons** and **floated** out the **window!** If this **magazine** had a **soundtrack**, you'd **hear** my **funny**, high-pitched **voice!**

# C C H - F I L E S

There's some slimy creature down there, thrashing about in the sewage! It's big... maybe the size of a human!

A slimy, human-sized creature? Aw, c'mon, what would a lawyer be doing down in a sewer?

We found an alien! We found an alien!

Calm down, Moldy! Not everything in this city is an alien!

Someone's gonna have to go in that sewer and find out what's down there! Skulky?

Gee, my favorite thing, crawling around in raw sewage!

Nuts! It's my favorite thing too! I wanted to crawl around in the raw sewage!

Okay, Moldy, you go!

Oh, boy! Oh, boy! I owe you one, Skulky!

ARTIST: ANGELO TORRES WRITER: DICK DEBARTOLO

Do you have a gun on you, Agent Moldy?

Yes, and thanks for the concern! I always felt the bureau didn't care about me!

We don't! It's wet in the sewer! I don't want your gun to get rusty! It's FBI property! Hand it over!

Moldy, what do you think you're doing?

I am going down the sewer!

We have an open man-hole — with a ladder!

Wow, the bureau has such advanced equip-ment!

Agent Moldy says this country is overrun with aliens, but the government keeps them secret!

Let me tell you about Moldy! When traveling at government expense, he flies coach, and stays at cheap hotels!

Oh, okay. I get it! So he's a weirdo!

Giants

Your attention, please! Assistant Director Skinhead of the FBI has an important announcement!

New Yorkers, the FBI needs your help! We have a special agent conducting an investigation in the sewage system! If you live in NYC, please do not flush for the next 12 hours! If you must go, please use New Jersey! It stinks so bad over there no one will notice!

GOVERNOR WILLPHEN

Typical of city government! Look at that beautiful sculpture up there! It's wasted here in a sewage tunnel! It should be in Central Park where people could enjoy it! Well, there's nothing unusual here, let me go into the next tunnel!

What happened to you, Moldy!?

I was checking one of the tunnels when something came flying at me! It had big white eyes and it was long and snake-like! It tried to kill me! It must have been an alien!

Schmuck, you wandered from the sewage tunnel into the subway tunnel! That was no alien! You got hit by the "D" train!

But, look what I found down there! He's half-man, half-fish!

He's all man and no fish! Moldy, this is a human that somehow ended up in the sewer! A fish doesn't wear a three-piece suit!

But it's the kind of suit a fish would wear! Herring-bone!

It's hopeless!

He's dead?

No, he's alive, but there's no medical card in his wallet! My hospital won't take him!

How are we supposed to get him to a hospital?

Drop him in that grate on top of the "D" train! There's a hospital just 3 stops from here!

Skulky, I always meant to ask you — where did you go to medical school?

To tell you the truth, I didn't! It was quicker and cheaper to just buy this medical cap and gown! When you wear these in a hospital, no one questions your authority! Besides, the bureau pays so poorly, I make a little extra income doing surgery on the side!

Yes, the octopus people are in the New York City sewage tunnels!

Moldy, what are you doing? You can't release that kind of wild, irrational news to the press!

You're not the only one who needs to make a little money on the side! I'm the "informed government source" who files those front page stories with the *Weekly World News!*

The "thing" you found in the sewer is still in a coma, but I've been examining those deep puncture wounds!

The only explanation is that he was attacked by some sort of alien creature with octopus-like tentacles!

It looks to me like it was done with a machine gun!

Skulky, smarten up! I doubt if an octopus-like creature would know how to use a machine gun!

Forget the octopus! These wounds were probably caused by a machine gun! See, they look like a series of shots ripped the skin! I say this was a mob rub-out!

Definitely not!

How can you be so sure?

Because then this story would be on *NYPD Blue,* not *The Ecch Files!*

I have a new theory! Based on your forensic findings, someone tried to kill that thing by using telepathic images of hate!

And where did the telepathic images come from?

From a machine gun! They were hidden in the bullets! A hate message in a bullet can be lethal!

Skulky, I take back what I said about that creature from the sewer being a fish!

I'm glad you finally came to your senses! You agree, it's a man!

No! It's neither man nor fish—it's fowl! It's a bird! I just saw it fly by the window!

Moldy, this man was in a coma! First he was shot, and now I bet he was thrown from the 30th floor! It was another mob rub-out attempt— a *foul deed,* not a *fowl deed!*

If it wasn't a bird, why did it try to land on the 15th floor?

I don't call hitting the terrace on the 15th floor "trying to land"!

Boy, you just spit in the face of facts, don't you!

I'd like to ask that ugly kid flying on his bike if he saw anything strange, but he's pedaling too high up!

Every week we sneak into a different government facility, so let's get those scenes out of the way now!

You need to have Security Level 12 to get in this one! What Security Level do we have?

I have Level 9, you have .0001!

Why do I get this feeling the bureau doesn't trust me a whole lot?

F B I. RESEARCH CENTER

WARNING

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I know how we can get in! Through the sewage drain!

You know Moldy, there's some sexual tension between us, but every time I think we might get it on, I remember what a dolt you are and how much time you spend crawling in yucky stuff! It kind of kills it for me! You go through the sewer, I'll go through the front door!

My God, Skulky, what is this place?

This is where the FBI keeps all the unexplained things we find!

Do they do further investigations here?

Sort of! You know that alien we found whose normal body temperature is 12 degrees? They discovered he can cool a six pack of beer in under 4 hours!

ARTHUR

And this is the creature who can use his brain to make his hands heat up to 1,000 degrees!

What did they do with that man who was in the military sleep deprivation experiment? The guy who's been awake for 25 years straight?

They made him a security guard, but then they fired him! He was putting in for too much overtime! 112 hours overtime a week adds up!

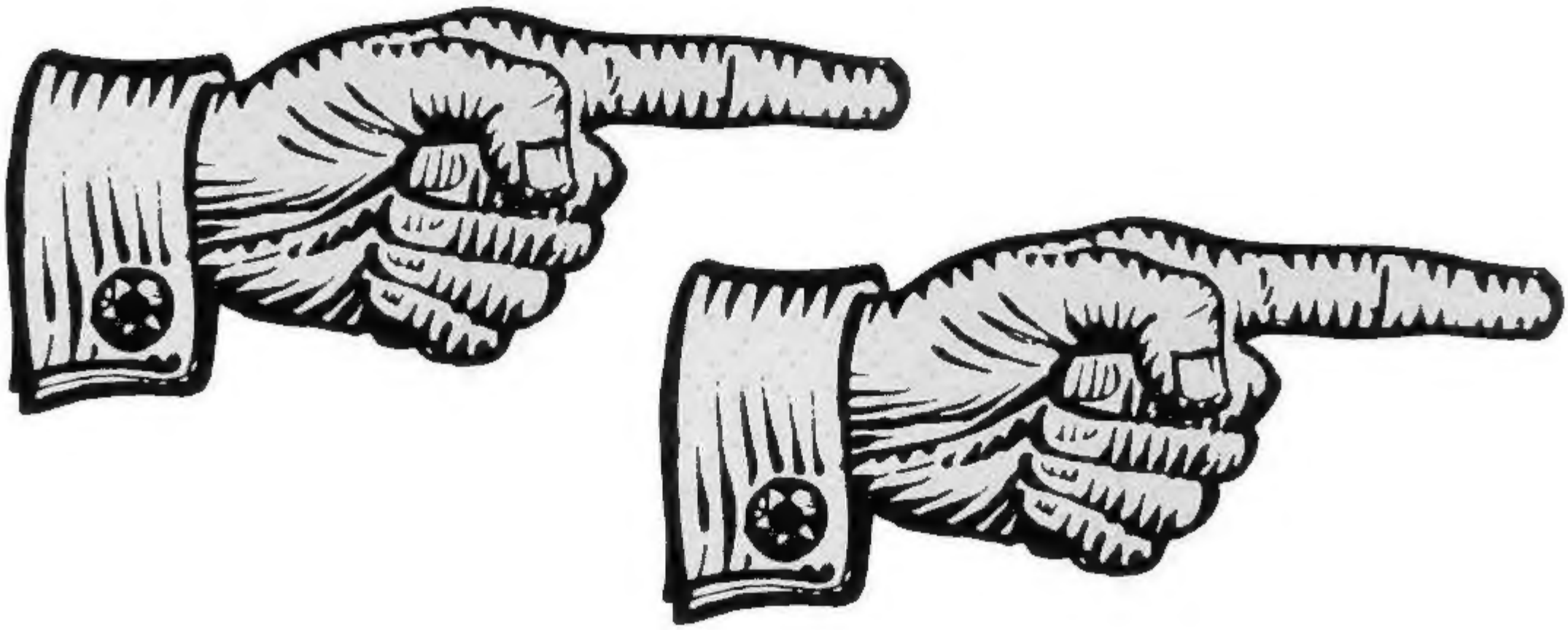
Some joker fished Johnny "Hairy Toes" Cohen out of the sewer after I machine gunned him down! They took him to the hospital, but I helped Johnny do a fatal swan dive out a 30-story window!

Okay, I admit that thing in the sewer wasn't a fish, and it wasn't a bird either! But it was an alien ground hog! It dug a hole and went underground!

Moldy, the gravediggers dug the hole, and everyone who's buried goes underground! Now let it go! Have a drink! Waiter — some wine please!

In a minute! I'm doing my best! I only have four arms, you know!

I won't give up! With my keen senses, sooner or later, I will find proof positive that there are aliens on this planet! The truth is out there! But where?



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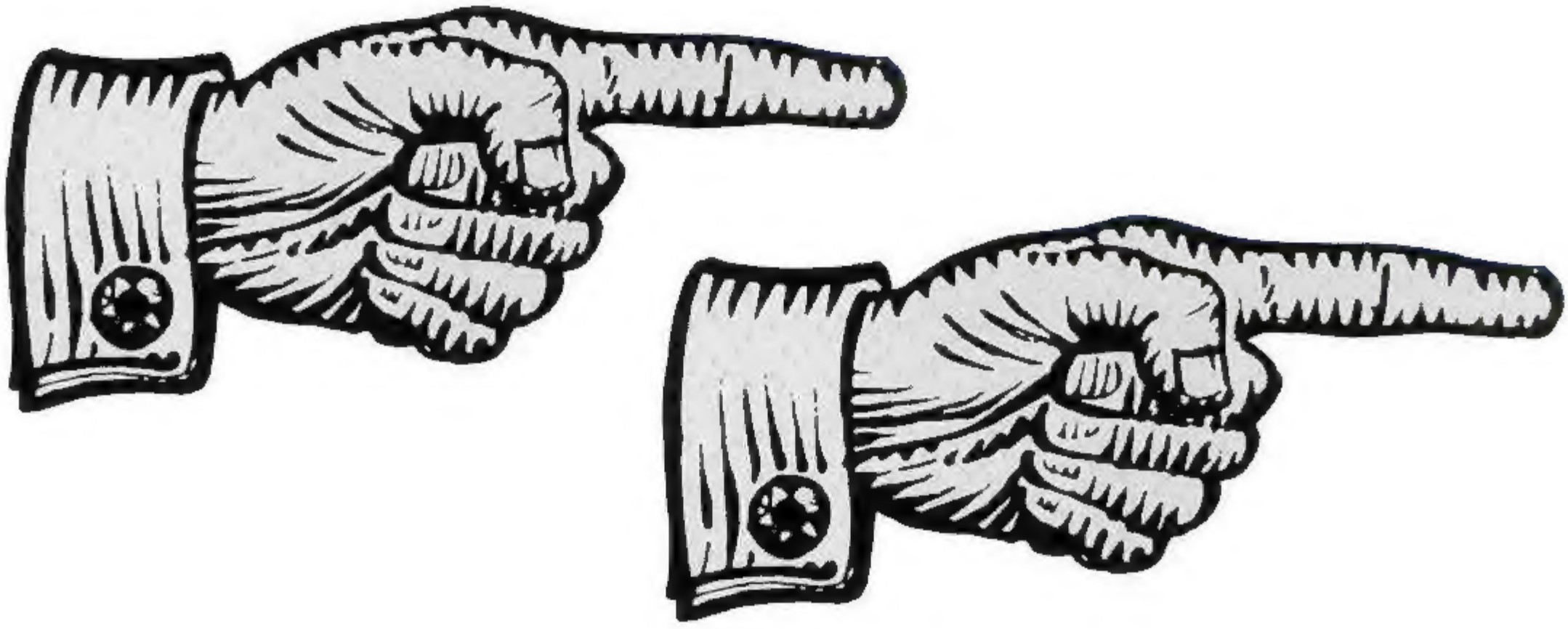

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**Ever since Abner Doubleday first created baseball in the 19th century it has been considered to be as American as apple pie and the bald eagle. But with all the controversy surrounding it over the past few years its popularity is suddenly waning. To find out what is quickly replacing baseball as our national pastime, fold page in as shown.**

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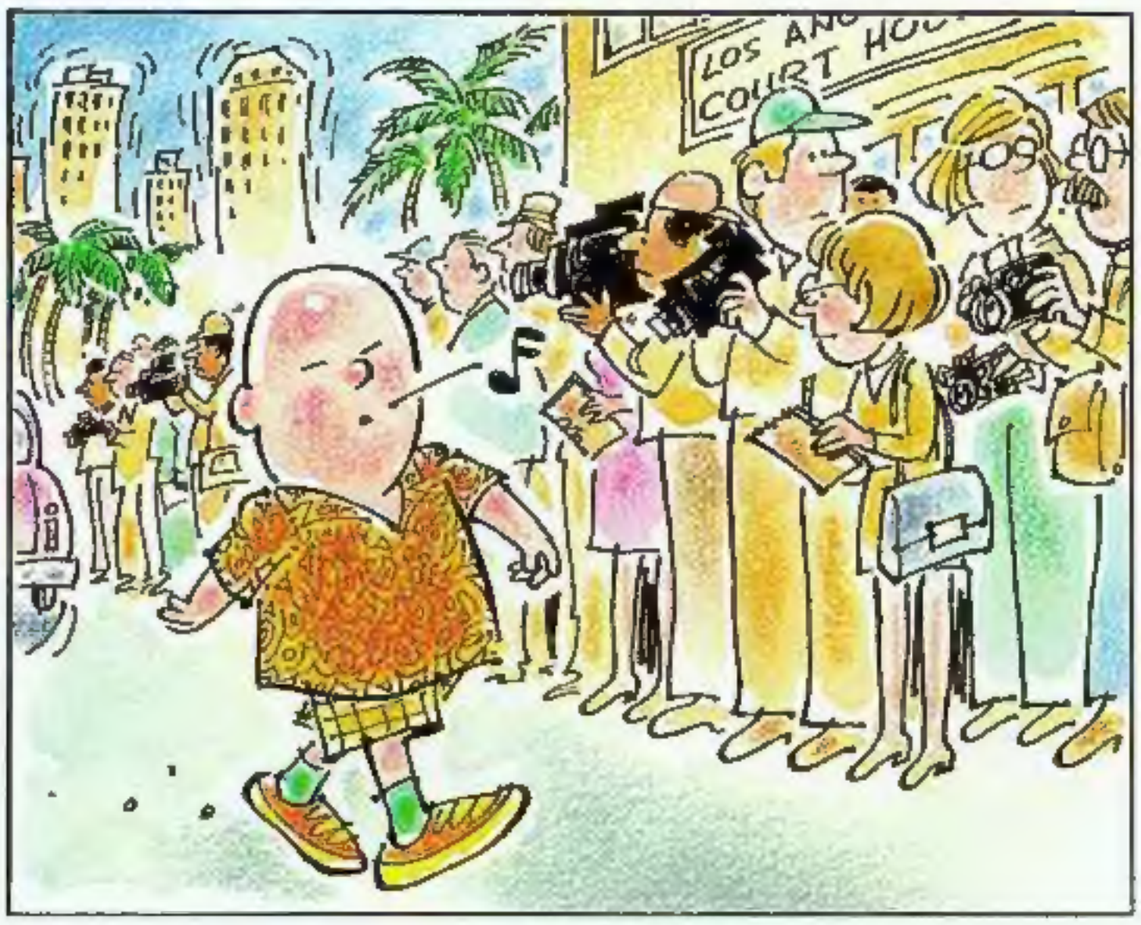

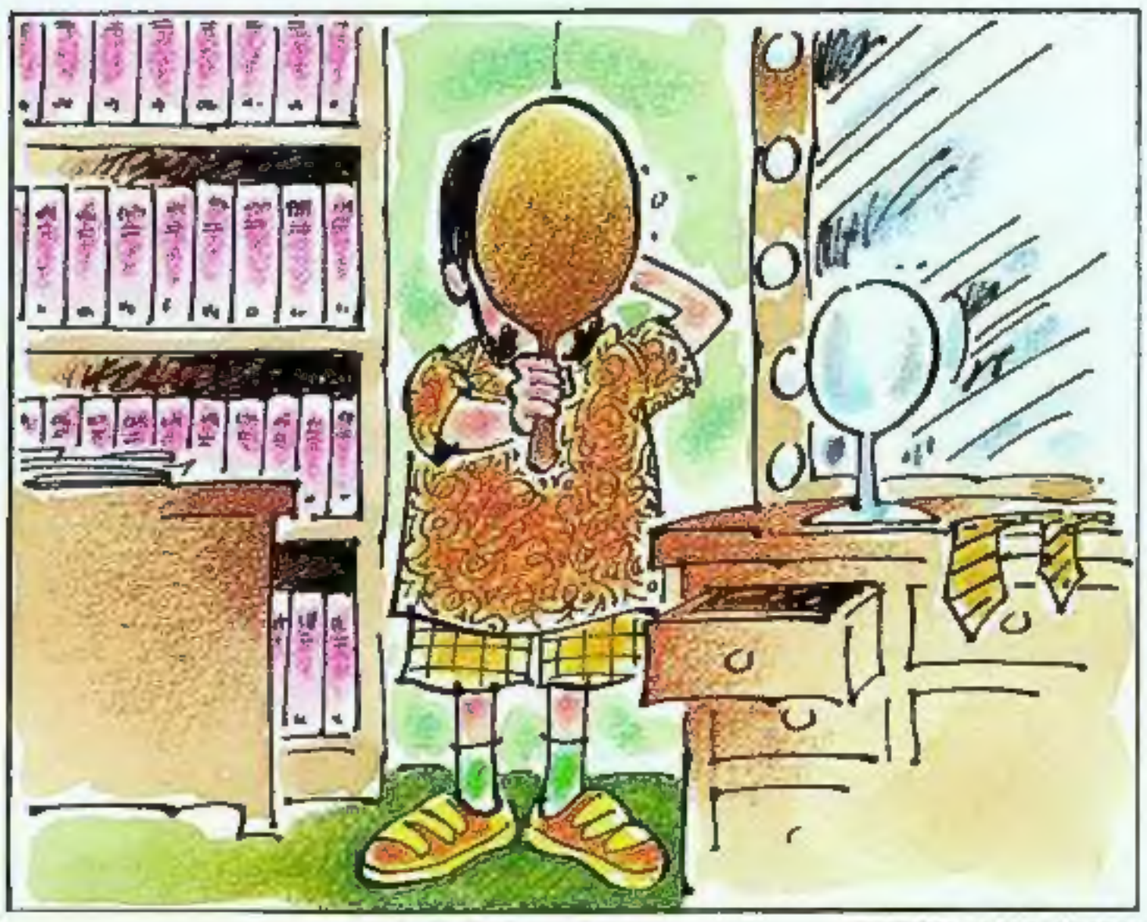

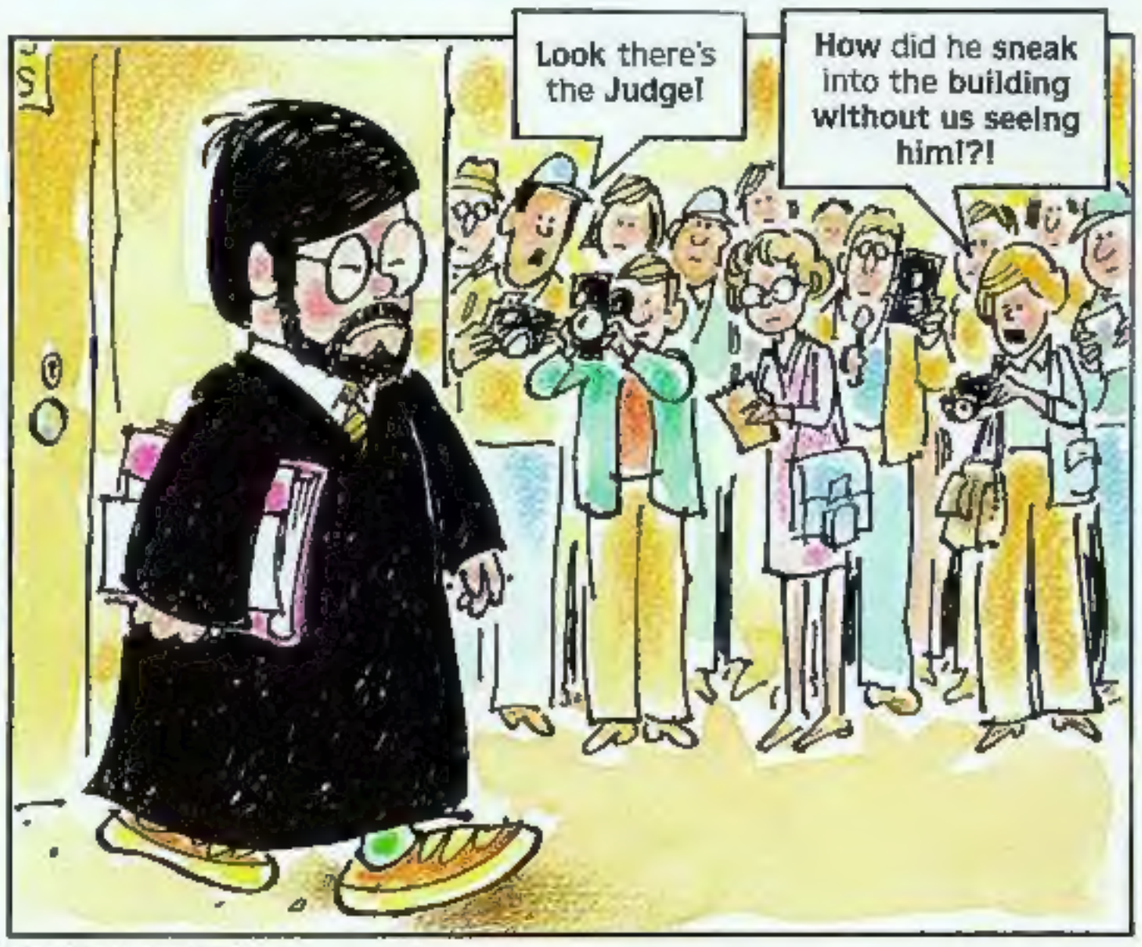


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